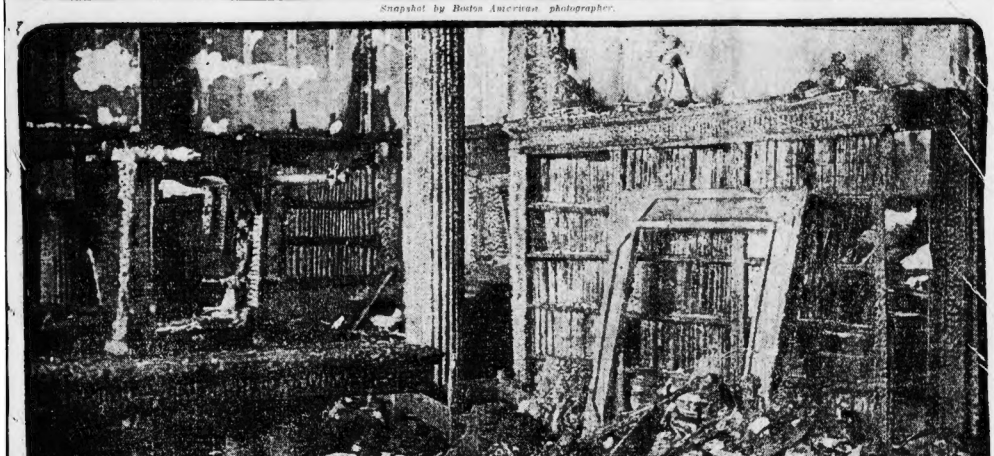
FIND WOMAN DEAD; SEEK SLAYER

MOTHER DRUGGED; GIRL GONE

Library of Governor Draper's Home on Beacon Street After Fire

Snapshot by Boston American photographer.



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GOVERNOR'S BEAUTIFUL BEACON STREET HOME IS RUINED BY FLAMES

Fire completely devastated the palatial four-story stone mansion of Governor Eben S. Draper at No. 130 Beacon street early to-day. The entire interior of the building, from cellar to roof, was burned, and many valuable paintings, rare bric-a-brac and magnificent furniture were prey to the flames. The loss was fully $150,000.

George Waggett of Ladder No. 3 was overcome by smoke and fell two stories through a broken balustrade in the reception hall. He was badly injured and rushed to the City Hospital. District Chief Daniel Sennott was partially overcome and had to be assisted from the building by firemen.

The cause of the blaze is a mystery, and the fire had evidently been burning several hours before the firemen arrived. The blaze could be seen for miles and for a time threatened to wipe out the whole block of magnificent residences. Two alarms were sounded in rapid succession.

Four members of Ladder No. 24 risked their lives fighting the fire from a stone coping a foot and a half wide, four stories from the ground, every moment being threatened with streams of water sent in the opposite direction which, if they struck the firemen, would have sent them hurling through the air to sure death on the iron pickets of the fence or in the street below.

Governor Draper, when asked if $150,000 would cover his losses, said: "That would be a very low estimate, indeed."

Mystery to the Governor.

When asked if he could tell the cause of the fire, Governor Draper said that he had not been able to find out. He said that the house has always been in charge of a Mr. Whitcomb, who keeps a man at the house every day in the year, although he does not stay through the night. Yesterday Mr. Perce of plumbers and electricians were at work in the house all day, under the personal direction of Mr. Whitcomb, who at 5 o'clock went all over the house to see to it that it was in proper condition to leave for the night, and he states that everything was in absolutely perfect condition when he left it.

The house was of fireproof construction, and every wall and floor is still in place, but the contents of every room are destroyed. Every family portrait, every oil painting and all the souvenirs which the Governor and Mrs. Draper have collected in their travels of twenty-five years were destroyed. The Governor also had a very fine library, by every book was destroyed.

"To-day," the Governor said, "I can't go into the house and get even a souvenir, so thoroughly did the fire do its work."

The Governor and his son, Eben, Jr., arrived at the ruins of their home from Hopedale at 7:45 o'clock. Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham had telephoned Governor Draper, telling him of the destruction of his Beacon street residence, and the Governor and his son hurried here by automobile.

Works of Art All Gone.

"I never saw such absolute destruction," said the Governor as he gazed at the empty, blackened walls of his home.

"Everything is gone. Pictures, books, curios which I have been accumulating for the past twenty-five years are all destroyed. In the library were the favorite books of my father and my wife. In the home were paintings and other works of art. They represented the collecting of a lifetime.

The Governor said that he had left on State or private papers in the house, which had been closed for months.

Percy was no one in the house at the time of the fire as the Governor and his family are at Hopedale. Many of Boston's most wealthy and exclusive families live nearby. They were roused out, frightened and scantily clad as tongues of flames shot from every window of the mansion half way across the street. It was feared the fire would spread to these adjoining buildings.

Discovered By a Maid.

Miss Elizabeth Gillis, employed as a maid at No. 152 Beacon street, next door to the Governor's home, discovered the fire. She was awakened from her sleep by the crackling of the flames, went to the rear of the house and opened a window, when a sheet of flame burst from a window on the lower floor of the Governor's house.

She telephoned to fire headquarters and Engine No. 33 and Engine No. 10 were dispatched to the house on a still alarm. When these two fire companies arrived the two lower floors and basement of the house were in flames that were just beginning to eat their way up into the third floor.

The firemen opened the front door and a sheet of flames swept them off the steps.

An alarm was sounded from Box 61 at Berkeley and Marlboro streets, followed a minute later by a second alarm. Chief Mullen arrived with the apparatus on the second alarm and immediately took command of the firemen.

Entire House in Flames.

By this time the flames made their way up through the centre of the house from the cellar to the roof and spread out over every floor. Flames were bursting from all the windows, sending glass into the streets in showers. Inside, the building was a seething furnace and the firemen were unable to get near the front door, owing to the intense heat.

Extension ladders were raised and a dozen or more lines of hose were played on the fire, pouring immense quantities of water into the building from every door.

It was some time, however, before the firemen were able to force their way into the ground floor of the building.

The big reception room, filled with the most costly furnishings, was a whirlpool of fire, and the smoke was so dense the firemen could hardly grope their way. It was here that District Chief Sennott was overcome.

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'HE'S RUSEAU,' TESTIFY NEW WITNESSES

Six new witnesses were sworn in to-day at the hearing of the Russell case in Probate Court at East Cambridge. All have been brought here to testify for William C. Russell, who is contesting the claim of Daniel Blake Russell to half of the 650,000 estate left by Daniel Russell of Melrose. All are from Messina, New York. This is the home of James Delbert Rusens, whom the lawyers for William C. Russell claim Daniel Blake Russell really is.

Three witnesses took the witness stand to-day and testified that the claimant to the Russell money is James D. Roseau. All of them identified photographs that have been introduced at the trial as pictures of Roseau.

George Perry of Messina, one of the three witnesses, became somewhat confused under cross-examination by Attorney Sisson for Daniel Blake Russell.

Confusion Over Age.

In his direct testimony he stated that Roseau was born in 1885. He said that the last time he saw him was in 1885. Under cross-examination he was asked how old he was at that time and he replied that he was twenty-five or twenty-nine years old. Attorney called attention to the fact that the man must have been but eighteen years old, if as the witness had previously stated, he was born in 1885.

In his direct testimony Perry declared that he did not see Roseau after the 1885 school. Under cross-examination he was sure that he had seen him since then but could not state where it was. Asked about how tall Roseau was he first said he was five feet six inches tall and later declared that he was five feet eight inches tall. He declared that Roseau walked erect, had no suspicion of a stoop, that his hair was black and his eyes very deep set.

During the cross-examination of Perry it became known that all the witnesses for William C. Russell were last night taken to the theatre by Attorney Berry. Perry himself sat with Lawyer Berry.

Aided by Books.

Edward Whalen of Messina testified that he went to Roseau's to the latter room for him in 1885. He was shown the photographs and said he thought they were those of Roseau. Under cross-examination he admitted that he did not remember Roseau until he had consulted his books to see if he had ever worked for him.

George L. Mulholland of Louisville, New York, a short distance from Messina, testified that the Roseau family lived in his father's house for a good many years. He said that he went to school with James Delbert. He thought he recognized the photographs but had not seen the claimant in the case to identify him.

WOMEN GOLF EXPERTS OFF ON 1ST ROUND

HAVERFORD, Pa., Oct. 5.—In the drawings for the first round of the women's golf championship to-day it developed that at least two-thirds of the strength of the field was massed in the upper half. What was even worse, however, was the bringing together at the outset of members of the same clubs or stars from the same sections. The result was that two or three of the most exciting matches of the week were expected to-day in the eleven contests.

The two leading British visitors apparently had an easy path to-day and a few other one-sided contests were in prospect. The weather was better to-day than yesterdays the sun being out in place of threatening clouds, while the gallery increased correspondingly. The championship drawings were:

Miss Frances Griscom, Merion, vs. Mrs. H. L. C. Bourne, Merion.
Miss Ethel Phipps, Springfield, Mass., vs. Mrs. Charles Lowell, Anaconda.
Mrs. E. H. Fitler, Merion, vs. Miss Grace Semple, Edgemere.
Mrs. C. W. McKitrey, Essex County, Mass., vs. Mrs. Dugald Campbell, North Berwick, Scotland.
Miss Frances Tracker, North Berwick, vs. Miss Carmelita Shreve Rue-Burn.
Miss Georgiana Bishop, Broadlawn, vs. Miss Elizabeth Forster, Merion.
Miss Katherine Bailey, Fair River, vs. Miss Mary Adams, Boston.
Mrs. Caleb Fay, Huntington Valley, vs. Miss Margaret Curtis, Essex County, Mass.
Mrs. Temple Westcott Hi., England, vs. Miss C. F. Lofferts, Englewood.
Miss E. C. Cobb, Evanston, vs. Miss Margery Phelps, Baltusrol.
Miss Ruth West, Woodbury, vs. Miss Nesbitt, Wilmington.
Miss McCallum, Meerhaerville, vs. Mrs. G. H. Vandebeck, Philadelphia Country.
Miss Isabella Smith, Evanston, vs. Miss Flor McNeill, Merion.
Miss Elizabeth Porter, Boston, vs. Miss Harriet Ogden, Essex County, Mass.
Miss Frances Dillett, St. Paul's, vs. Mrs. E. H. Barlow, Merion.
Miss Mary McGee, Cherry Cairn, vs. Miss Jane Seymour Moulton, England.

NOTED BOSTON RABBI IS DEAD

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The Rev. Faik Vidaver, one of the greatest Hebrew scholars of the last generation, died to-day at his home. Two years ago he retired on account of ill health from the Lexington avenue synagogue. Born in Poland sixty-five years ago, he came to America when eighteen and was graduated from Harvard. His first charge was in Boston, where he married a sister of Emperor Frederick's chief chess champion. From 1879 to 1892 he was in San Francisco, in charge of the largest Jewish congregation west of the Rockies.

CZAR PARDONS NINE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 5.—The Czar to-day telegraphed from Livadia, pardon for nine prisoners sentenced to capital punishment. Among them was a member of the band named Planych, who had been condemned to death by a court-martial, sitting in Lauras, last July, for complicity in a revolutionary plot.

WOMAN DEAD WITH A ROPE AROUND NECK

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 5.—Under circumstances that strongly suggest murder, the body of Rexie Baker, a well-known young woman of this city, was found in her apartments in the Upton block to-day. Around her neck was a loop of rope which was suspended from a bed post, but which could not have caused death, for it did not touch a vital spot in the neck. It was free from the windpipe and rested mainly on the back of the head.

The woman's face was covered with blood, and a blood-soaked cloth was over the upper part of the body. There were no signs of strangulation.

Only partly dressed in her underclothing and a kimono, the body lay on the floor face upward. Wounds were difficult to find in a cursory examination because of the condition of the body. The women had probably been dead a week.

County Solicitor Annie Bidwell, convinced that it is probably a case of murder, has ordered Medical Referee George M. Boyle to perform an autopsy to-night or to-morrow morning.

Mrs. Baker was a strikingly handsome woman of under forty years and was known for her stunning gowns. She lived alone in her suite in the Upton block, on Elm street, and did dressmaking.

Robbery could not have been the motive for the murder. Two handsome diamond rings lay untouched in the room, one on the woman's finger and another on the floor. A quantity of money was also found and valuable bric-a-brac was scattered around the place.

STORROW IS BACK; SON CONVALESCENT

James J. Storrow, who went abroad several weeks ago to see his son, a student in Germany who has been quite ill, landed in New York to-day. Mr. Storrow was compelled to drop all of his affairs and be aboard from the great banquet given President Taft when he received word that his son was dangerously ill. Now the young man is convalescing and will soon follow his father home.

WILLIAM A. LEHAN DEAD.

PAWTUCKET, Oct. 5.—William A. Lehan, superintendent of the Burgess Cotton Mills and one of the best known men in this city, died at his home, No. 118 East street, early to-day. He was of apparent good health when he retired last night. He had been superintendent for the past five years. He leaves a widow and three children.

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ROXBURY WOMAN CHARGES ROBBERY AND KIDNAPPING

Stating that she had been chloroformed by a night intruder, who robbed her of $220 and kidnapped her fifteen-year-old daughter Mildreth, Mrs. Flora V. Higgins of No. 46 Holborn street, in the Elm Hill district of Roxbury, told the police to-day an extraordinary story which led them to seek for John H. Burnham, who, the distracted mother claims, is the abductor and her assailant.

A general alarm was sent out to the police of Greater Boston to arrest Burnham on sight. Police Captain Evans of Roxbury at noon requested District Attorney Hill to bring the charges against Burnham before the Grand Jury at once, and if possible to secure an indictment warrant for his arrest on a charge of enticing the Higgins girl away from home.

Burnham is twenty-two years old and lived at No. 78 Dover street. Until yesterday morning he was employed as a cook at No. 1,114 Washington street. He is also known, it is said, as John Harris.

Tells of Being Chloroformed.

Mrs. Higgins says that Burnham was in love with her youngest daughter, Mildreth. Mrs. Higgins says a man entered her house, a first floor apartment, some time last night. She was awakened and tried to fight a lamp a man knocked a match from her hand, struck her down, put a pillow case over her head, gagged her with a stocking and then put a towel soaked with chloroform over her mouth. Mrs. Higgins says that Mildreth was taken from the bed and into the parlor, where the abductor dressed her. Then the parlor door was locked and the girl and man disappeared.

Mrs. Higgins was in night attire, like her child, when attacked, and says she had $220 in cash in a bankbook, which was pinned to her nightgown. When she recovered consciousness about midnight the money was gone. Prostrated by shock and still under the influence of the powerful chloroform, she was in a bad way for some time.

Robbery could not have been the motive for the murder. Two handsome diamond rings lay untouched in the room, one on the woman's finger and another on the floor. A quantity of money was also found and valuable bric-a-brac was scattered around the place.

Tells of Missing Girl.

Mrs. Higgins told the police that Burnham had been paying attention to her daughter Mildreth for some time. She said that Burnham was in the habit of coming to the house on the side door, and that he was admitted by Mildreth. Mrs. Higgins says that Mildreth was taken from the bed and into the parlor, where the abductor dressed her. Then the parlor door was locked and the girl and man disappeared.

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Taken at South Station.

Romeos and others went to the South Station, and when Trapas appeared shortly after midnight they took him into custody without the aid of a policeman.

They took the man to the Lagrange street police station and told the sergeant on duty what they suspected. He sent for Captain Ward, and the captain telephoned to the Haverhill police and verified what the men had to placed Trapas under arrest.

The police of Haverhill sent a man to this city to-day and the prisoner was taken to that place.

The Greeks who were after the fugitive found that he had gone to No. 12 Kneeland street, Boston. They found that he had a valise with him.

The valise was opened to-day and in it the police found a revolver with two chambers loaded, a large knife and three watches. The jewelry was identified as that which belonged to several Greeks in Haverhill. It had been missing for several

MAN MISSING, HIS FRIEND ARRESTED

Christos Trapas, a young Greek of Haverhill, was arrested by the police of the Lagrange street station early to-day at the request of a number of his fellow countrymen, who followed him to this city on suspicion of knowing something about the mysterious disappearance of Tassios Diasiotis, a young man of that city.

Trapas and Diasiotis were friends and lived at the same house. They left their home last Sunday, it was understood, to attend a wedding out of Haverhill. Trapas returned alone.

It was known by his friends that Trapas had been out of work and had no money because he had been subsisting upon the charity of his friends. Suddenly he appeared among them with money, they declare, and on Tuesday started from Haverhill for New York.

Several of the friends of the missing man became suspicious. They knew that Diasiotis had as much as $50 in his possession when he left Haverhill for the wedding in the company of Trapas.

The friends of the missing man hurried to Boston, reaching here shortly before midnight last night. They hurried to the office of Ange Romeos, the editor of a Greek newspaper in Boston.

EDITORS RESIGN FOR SUFFRAGETTES

LONDON, Oct. 5.—H. W. Nevinson and H. N. Bradford have resigned their positions as leader-writers for the Daily News as a protest against the government's treatment of suffragette prisoners.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

GOV. DRAPER SADDENED BY RUIN OF HOME

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overcome. Several firemen rushed to his assistance and dragged him to the street.

Ladderman's Frightful Fall.

When the firemen had beaten back the flames sufficiently to obtain a footing on the staircase they tried to reach the third floor by the magnificent staircase that rises from the reception hall. Ladderman George Wagget had almost reached the third floor when a sudden wave of flame enveloped him. He fell back against the burning balustrade, which, weakened by the fire, gave way under his weight and he fell the two stories to the floor of the reception hall.

He was picked up by firemen, carried out into the street, lifted into one of the chief's wagons and was driven at breakneck speed to the City Hospital. It is thought he is internally injured.

Meanwhile the fire had eaten away the stairway between the third and fourth floors. The fire was raging fiercely on this floor and the firemen, unable to reach it from the inside, were forced to make the attempt from the outside.

A Perilous Climb.

The members of ladder 24 were called upon and, with great difficulty, owing to the peculiar construction of the exterior, succeeded in raising their longest extension ladder to the roof. Ladderman Goodfellow, Riley, Patrick and Kennedy were sent up to the fourth floor with a chemical line. The ladder bent and groaned under their weight and it was some time before they could obtain a firm purchase on the narrow stone coping which runs along the building on this floor.

The flames were shooting from the windows furiously, beating directly down upon the quartet of firemen, whose faces were scorched and clothes were steaming from the heat.

The chemical line was wholly insufficient, and the firemen were in peril of being driven from the ladder by the flames, which kept increasing in ferocity.

A hose was run up to them and with this and the chemical line they commenced a battle with the blaze that lasted for three-quarters of an hour, the four hovering between life and death as they fought the fire from the narrow coping.

Ladderman in Peril.

The firemen, from their position, were unable to reach a section of the fourth floor where the flames were most and Ladderman Goodfellow, with the chemical line firmly in his grasp, made his way along the foot and a half coping past a window from which smoke and flames were belching forth in ever increasing volume to a place of vantage and from this point holding on to a window sill with one hand and directing the course of his stream with the other he fought the fire until the intense heat drove him from his position and he was forced to return to the ladder. Ladderman Goodfellow was struck by a stream of water and would have been swept from the coping had the others not grasped him as he slipped.

The crowds in the street below held their breath as stream after stream of water shot through the window and struck the four men who were clinging to the outside of the building with dense volumes of smoke rolling down upon them, threatening to suffocate them, and adding new danger to their already perilous position.

Cheer after cheer arose from the crowds every time a glimpse of the four men could be had through the dense smoke, and other firemen unable to reach them shouted words of encouragement.

The firemen fighting the fire from the inside of the building had learned of their presence, and their attack was turned in another direction.

Cause of Blaze Unknown.

When the men reached the street they were highly commended for their bravery by Chief Mullen, as they checked the fire and prevented it from spreading to the next building at No. 18 Beacon street.

The origin of the blaze is unknown and the many suspicious circumstances surrounding it has caused the State Fire Marshal Silas B. Smith to start an investigation. During the past week carpenters and painters have been working about the house, fitting it up as everything should be ready for the Governor and his family to take up his residence there for the Winter, as he expected to do in a few days.

Thomas Uphill and John Holmes, caretakers of the property and employed by E. I. Whitney, removed the shutters from the house yesterday, and when they left at 7 o'clock last night they declared that everything was just as it should be.

Snapshot by G. F. Radway, Boston American photographer, before firemen left the scene.

Fire Swept Music Room in Gov. Draper's Ruined Residence

TAFT FAVORS A HEALTH BUREAU

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 5.—President Taft will recommend at the next session of Congress the establishment of a National Bureau of Health, to be under the supervision of the Federal Government and to comprise all the various Government agencies now in existence for the preservation of the public health.

The idea is to consolidate under one head all the present bureaus, and this would take in the inspection bureau of the immigration service, the sanitation bureau now conducted by the War Department, the pure food inspection at present carried on by the Department of Agriculture, and the quarantine work of the public health and marine hospital service, which is under the jurisdiction of the Treasury Department. The President in several speeches has said that he would like to see such a bureau established.

Three Hair Specialists.

Three of the leading authorities on the scalp and hair are Woods Hutchinson, M. D., and Dr. J. C. Bayles of New York, and Dr. Lassar of Germany. Anything these celebrated writers may say is the result of long experience and thorough investigation, and largely influences the whole medical profession. It is remarkable that all three of these authorities agree absolutely that the first and foremost thing to do in treating hair and scalp troubles is to keep the head clean by frequent washing. Dr. Lassar says that the first step in treating dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair is to keep the scalp clean by washing. This should be done daily in the beginning, and as the scalp assumes a more normal condition, once a week will be sufficient to keep the hair and scalp healthy. Woods Hutchinson, M. D., says: "The main hope of stopping the advance of baldness lies in the direction of improving the general health and vigor, while at the same time keeping the scalp and hair in a clean, antiseptic, well-ventilated condition. Avoid using too strong soaps, strong alkalis, such as ammonia and soda, and too hot water, as all of these take out too much of the natural lubricant or oil, of the hair, and leave it dry and harsh." Dr. J. C. Bayles says: "The only thing the layman can do to avert baldness is to keep the head clean and cool." Modern thought is all in the direction of cleanliness, as the opinions of these three eminent men go to show. The day of fake tonics, renewers, growers and invigorators is close at hand. The public has been defrauded so long that nothing but worthy things will find a sale. Falling hair, itching scalp and dandruff cannot be cured by fakes and frauds. The only sure way to benefit the hair and scalp is to keep them clean and free from dirt and disease germs. For this purpose Birt's Head Wash, the new scientific preparation, is most highly recommended because in it is combined Soap, Yolk of Eggs, Cochin Cocoanut Oil, Glycerine and Salicylic Acid. Ask your doctor about it.

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Filene's — Entrance Direct from Tunnel Trains

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A lot of Girls' 1.50 Percale and Gingham Dresses: high neck, long sleeves, at 69c.

A lot of Girls' 2.95 Cashmere Sailor Suits: trimmed with soutache and emblems, at 2.29.

SUFFRAGISTS AT BROCKTON FAIR OPENING

BROCKTON, Oct. 5.—The thirty-third annual Brockton Fair opened to-day with a record-breaking first day crowd. This is Children's Day, and there were many events arranged especially for them.

The famous "Flying Wedge" of women suffragists from Boston invaded the fair grounds this afternoon, headed by Mrs. Susan Y. Fitzgerald. The party of women carried huge "Votes for Women" banners, a large white umbrella with red letters, and went about in the crowd distributing literature, badges, buttons and getting signatures for their petition.

The second annual marathon, under the auspices of the fair, will be held Friday, starting from the B. A. A. at 12 o'clock and finishing with a circuit of the race track at the Brockton Fair Grounds about 2:30 p. m. The finish of the marathon will be reviewed by Governor Eben S. Draper, Lieutenant-Governor Louis A. Frothingham, Governor George H. Prouty of Vermont, together with the military aides of both Governors and other distinguished guests.

The prizes will be presented to the winners by Governor Draper. It will be possible for those interested to see the finish of the race from the B. A. A. at 12 o'clock and then take the 12.45 or 1.05 train from the South Station and arrive at the fair grounds in ample time to see the finish of the race.

The sports of the youngsters took place in front of the grand stand and comprise running races and other contests for boys of 15 and under, and silver and gold medals will be given the winners.

A feature of the track at the anniversary races arranged by Chairman Walter Rapp of the children's day committee for which a silver cup is given by the management.

Chairman Rapp has held this position for twenty-five years, and challenged all those who participated in the children's sports of "children's day" twenty-five years ago to enter a 100-yard dash with him for the trophy.

The horse show will open tomorrow and continue Tuesday and Friday, under the direction of Chairman Fred F. Field, D. O. Caldwell, F. S. Tolman and H. L. Tinkham, and the manager will be Francis M. Ware of New York, who has conducted it each year.

Friday will be Governor's day this year, when Governor Draper and entire staff and Gov. George L. Prouty of Vermont will be the special guests of the management.

The firemen's muster will take place on that day. There are forty-five machines already entered, and it is expected that there will be over fifty machines in the contest.

TIRES OF HUBBY'S KISSES, SUES HIM

TRENTON, Nov., Oct. 5.—Mrs. Henrietta McGrew insists that there is a limit to all things, even to the kisses of her husband, John E. McGrew. As a result of exceeding the limit, she has sought the divorce courts of Hitchock county, where she has applied for a divorce, alleging that he has kissed and caressed open house until the cruelty state has been reached.

FIRE IN BLOCK OWNED BY FOSS

Fire in the engine room of the four-story building, No. 256 Franklin street, owned by Eugene N. Foss, Democratic candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, and occupied by his firm, the B. F. Sturtevant Company, did damage of about $15. Shavings in the engine room became ignited. The woodwork catches, but the watchman discovered the blaze before it had got any headway.

OLD SECTION HAND IS HIT BY TRAIN

Andrew Dooley, seventy years old, of No. 27 Nashua street, Marblehead, one of the oldest section hands on the Boston & Maine Railroad, was knocked down by a gravel train, which came up behind him to-day, while he was walking the tracks near the Swampscott station. When he was picked up he was unconscious. He was carried to the Lynn Hospital, where the doctors say that, despite his advanced age, he is making a wonderful fight for his life.

BOMB BURSTS, BOY IS NEARLY TORN TO BITS

By the explosion of a fireworks bomb picked up early to-day in the East Boston playground Peter Messina, fourteen years of age, had both eyes blown out and his body torn almost to pieces. He is dying at the East Boston Relief Hospital.

The tragedy is the sad aftermath of the celebration of the feast of St. Michael the Archangel by the Italians of Boston on Sunday and Monday. They had arranged the pechluge of setting off fireworks at North Square last night, but it was postponed. Then they went to the East Boston playgrounds.

Peter Messina, whose parents reside at No. 9 Lubec street, wandered about the playgrounds at 7:30 o'clock to-day, picking up bits of the exploded fireworks. He finally found one of the heavy pieces that apparently had not been used. The boy struc kthe bomb with a pick he had, and there was a terrific explosion.

The body of the boy was hurled through the air several yards and he fell unconscious in a mangled heap. The explosion was so loud that it attracted the attention of a large section of that neighborhood. In a few moments there was a crowd gathered about the torn body of the boy.

A policeman was called and an ambulance summoned. The boy was hurried to the East Boston Relief Station. There it was found that both of the eyes of the boy had been destroyed, that his clothing had been torn to shreds and his body and face and head blistered with bursting powder.

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The continued progress of the savings bank life insurance movement is shown in the arrangement just made by State Actuary Robertson G. Hunter for opening an agency at the works of the B. F. Sturtevant Company in Hyde Park, of which E. N. Foss is the head. This concern employs about 1,400 people of the same class as those at the Fore River Ship Building Company and the United Shoe Machinery Company, where a large number of policies have been written. An instructor sent to Hyde Park by the committee of the Boston Chamber of Commerce has just begun work at the shop.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere —in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

FIREBUG'S DEATH RUMOR DENIED

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Oct. 5.—Reports that are being sent out periodically concerning the illness of Rip Laughperry, who is serving in the penitentiary here for burning the Grannes house, near Laporte, Ind., are declared to be exaggerated by prison authorities. It is asserted that the reports of his immediate danger of death are coincident to every movement to get him paroled or pardoned.

MEXICAN AIRSHIP TO BE FASTEST YET

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 5.—Professor Stamps of the School of Mines has invented an airship which he claims will surpass all others in speed. Orders have been placed in Paris for the building of two large machines.

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3 CHINAMEN ARE TAKEN TO DEATH CELLS

The three Chinamen sentenced to die in the electric chair for the Oxford place shootings during the week beginning Sunday were taken today to Charlestown Prison and locked up in the death cells adjoining the electric chamber.

Sheriff Fred Sennett and one of his assistants arrived at the prison at 11:25 a. m. to-day in a two-horse public carriage with the three condemned men. Min Sing, Leong Gong and Hoh Woon. The condemned men were handcuffed together.

When the prison was reached they were taken into the receiving room at the prison and turned over to Warden Bridges, who gave Sheriff Sennett signed receipts for the men. The Chinamen were then taken to the three cells adjoining the room where the electric chair stands. Here they will be under constant guard day and night until they are executed. No one will be allowed to see them except their lawyers, physicians or a minister without written permission of the court.

It is not thought probable that it will be necessary to shave off the queues of the three Chinamen who die next week in order to fit the fatal headpiece over their heads. It was first thought that this would have to be done. The Chinamen are much pleased that they will not be forced to part with their queues.

Warry Charles and Joe Guey, the American-educated Chinamen under sentence of death during the week of October 17, will not be removed to the prison until this time next week. The three Chinamen taken over today declared they preferred death in the electric chair to life imprisonment. Governor Draper will give a hearing next week on the case of Charles, who asks for clemency.

USED FORCE TO VACCINATE 26

FITCHBURG, Oct. 5.—John Strotolis, aged 35 years, a Greek banquiard, who arrived on the Arabic-American line steamer a week ago and came to work in this city in the mill, has a very aggravated case of smallpox, and has had it for fully a week, to the opinion of the medical authorities. Force had to be used to vaccinate some of the twenty-six residents of the house in Cleghorn street where Strotolis was running.

DELEGATES FOR C. T. A. CONVENTION

President Patrick D. Walsh, John F. Tully, Daniel D. Farrell and Thomas F. Phelan will represent St. Patrick's Total Abstinence and Literary Society at the semi-annual convention of the Boston Catholic Total Abstinence Union to be held in the parish rooms of Boston College, Harrison street, Sunday. The society will honor Father Mashoe, the apostle of temperance, by holding a celebration in Intercolonial Hall, Dudley street, next Monday night.

"WET" PREACHER LOSES PULPIT

CANTON, O., Oct. 5.—The Stark County Ministerial Federation expelled Rev. A. W. Bixby, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, for fighting the cause of the "drys" in the recent county saloon election.

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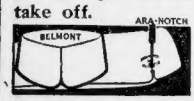

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Controversy Rages as to Shakespeare Theatre.

LONDON—A burning controversy is raging concerning the site of Shakespeare's Globe Theatre. Evidence in favor of the traditional site and of the site claimed by Prof. Wallace is being marshalled and the respective theories defended with great ardor. Dr. William Martin, the designer of the Shakespeare tablet at Barclay's brewery, which up to a few days ago was supposed to have been the site of the Globe Theatre, is naturally heads the Anti-Wallaceites. He refuses to accept the professor's documents as proof, because he thinks that all previous research goes to show that the Elizabethan clerk who transcribed the documents carelessly mixed up "north" and "south," and if these words were transposed everything would be clear. On the other hand, Prof. Wallace is supported by many of the most noted Shakespearian scholars, including F. J. Furnivall, editor of the Oxford Dictionary. The promoters of the memorial scheme to their determination to perpetuate the bard's memory on the present site, but they will make a further investigation before October 8, the date set for the installation of the tablet.

Postal Monument Dedicated.

BERNE—In the presence of the President of the Swiss Republic, Dr. Brenet, and delegates representing most of the countries composing the International Postal Union, M. Millerand, the French Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, dedicated the monument commemorating the International Postal Union. It is by Paul Dardel Mercenux, and comprises five figures representing the geographical divisions of the world. Europe is symbolized by a Caucasian, Asia by a Japanese, Africa by a negress, America by a red Indian, and Oceanica by a Kanaka, who whirl about the globe.

New Turbine Device Opposed.

LONDON—When seen in regard to the new turbine device developed by Messrs. Melville, Westinghouse and Macalpine, members of the Parsons firm, the Irish engineer, which first adapted the turbine engine to purposes of navigation, said that from the meager details at hand they were disinclined to attach much importance to the idea, which they consider an old one. "Theoretically, the new invention is quite right, but I doubt its practicability," said a prominent member of the firm. "It is not to say means new except in one or two points of detail."

Manuel's Birthday in London.

LISBON—King Manuel, with his suite, will leave on November 7 for Madrid, where he will stay for several days. From there he will travel incognito to Fontainebleau, whence he will sail on the Victoria and Albert for Portsmouth. On arrival there he will be met by the Prince of Wales, who will escort him to Windsor Castle, where he expects to arrive on his twentieth birthday, November 15.

Steamer Harbart Libelled.

KINGSTON, Jamaica—The steamer Harbart has been libelled for $50,000 at the instance of the Merritt Wrecking Company of New York. The Harbart, which is a British steamer, caught fire while on her way from Gulfport to Buenos Ayres and put in here on August 21. Her cargo was on fire and the vessel was beached.

Straus Received by Sultan.

CONSTANTINOPLE—Oscar Straus, the American ambassador to Turkey, when officially received in audience by the Sultan said that it was the desire of the President of the United States to cultivate the existing ties of friendship between his country and Turkey.

To Wed a French Title.

PARIS—The engagement is announced of Miss Jeanne, sister of Arthur Balfy, Blanchard, first secretary of embassy, at the American Embassy in Paris, to Viscount Perrod de Chazelle, who was formerly ordnance officer to the Duke d'Aumole, and formerly a captain in the French army.

Morgan Thanked for Gift.

LONDON—J. Pierpont Morgan has received a special vote of thanks from the city corporation library committee for his gift of three books on the North American Indian, which he recently presented to the Guildhall Library.

Roosevelts to Visit Padua.

VENICE—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Miss Ethel Roosevelt and Miss Carow left Venice for Padua, where they visited the university and cathedral.

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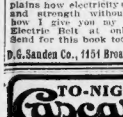

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WINS BRIDE IF TIGERS GET FLAG

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 5.—Detroit has produced the champion baseball fan in Miss Belle Corey, aged twenty-one, a well known society girl. She announced to her friends that her betrothal, recently made public to a young business man, had been changed to what she pleases to term a "conditional engagement." Miss Corey is an enthusiastic admirer of the Tigers and has witnessed almost every game played here. So happy has she become her devotion to the team that she has informed her fiance that he may consider their engagement conditional upon the Detroit baseball club defeating the Pirates for the world's championship. The groom to be is not particularly interested in the Tigers, but he is organizing rooters' clubs to help him win the girl.

W. K. VANDERBILT BACK FROM EUROPE

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Secreting himself in his cabin and denying admittance to interviewers, William K. Vanderbilt, arrived here to-day on the Kron Prinzessin Cecilie, of the German-American Line. He refused to discuss the recent indictment of the racetrack officials and bookmakers by the Kings County grand jury or to discuss the separation of his son, William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and the latter's wife.

CAPTAIN WADLEIGH AT NAVY YARD

Captain John W. Wadleigh, son of Rear Admiral Wadleigh, retired, has reported for duty at the marine barracks at the Charlestown navy yard. He has just returned from the War College at Newport, and will act as alternate officer of the day.

CECILE MAYO, WHO IS FROM BROADWAY, EXPLORING BOSTON

EXTRA! GIRL FROM HARLEM IS IN TOWN

Peary was at the Pole; Cook wasn't; so, yes he was; it was Peary who wasn't at the Pole; why thats one proofs—don't ya fuhget? The West hasn't since the storm trifles. To the land pages with this polar controversy.

Another explorer invades into the white glare of publicity. Maybe, it should be exploress, inasmuch as she is a woman. Pretty one, too, she's Cecile Mayo. And now for the big secret. The real plot of this mass of words.

Miss Mayo is in Boston.

What of it, ask you? Aren't there a million other people in Boston? To be sure, but not as Miss Mayo comes.

Miss Mayo is one of the "Hello People" ensemble with James T. Powers in "Havana" at the Majestic Theatre, and she is the original stay-at-home. She was born in Horlem, which used to be away up town in New York, but isn't any more, and until she also came to Boston Squab, right Miss Mayo had never been further east from Broadway than One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, except for one trip West. She went to Philadelphia.

Once she allowed herself to be carted across the Hudson River to see the Palisades. Another time she ventured over to Long Island to look at an automobile race. And, again, she ventured to the south one day and saw Staten Island. Then came the trip to Philadelphia, which Miss Mayo couldn't avoid because "Havana" had its tryout in that city.

When the time came for the musical comedy to go on tour Miss Mayo balked. She was one show girl who just wouldn't appear anywhere except in a Broadway production.

It was a Broadway theatre or none for her. Then the whole incorporated Shubert management began to plead. They wanted to keep the original "Hello People" ensemble intact for the road, so they said. Miss Mayo certain important concessions, and as a result "we have with us to-night," as the toastmaster says, Miss Cecile Mayo.

FOOTBALL PLAYER DYING OF HURTS

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 5.—Robert Mitchell, manager and halfback of the Pottsville High School football team, is dying at the West hospital as the result of injuries sustained in a football game at Shamokin. His parents, Dr. and Mrs. Millington of Vermont, have been summoned here.

BANK WRECKER WALSH MUST GO TO PRISON

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—John R. Walsh must serve a sentence of five years in the Federal Penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., for misapplying the funds of his bank, according to a decision handed down to-day by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The decision confirms the sentence of Judge Anderson, imposed after Walsh had been found guilty by a jury in his court, and denied a new trial. The suits pressed now left for Walsh is an appeal to the United States Supreme Court. It is certain that the appeal will be taken.

Whether the highest tribunal in the country will pass upon the finding of the lower court is a matter for it to decide upon. It is possible that the Supreme Court will not review the decision.

Rose From a Newsboy.

Walsh, who rose from a newsboy to be the ruling factor in Chicago finance, was president of the Chicago National Bank. When at fatal five or six years ago it was a national sensation, so solid was the institution regarded.

The decision marks the end almost, if not quite, of the fight that began against Walsh in the open, when in 1905 the National Bank examiner closed the doors of the Chicago National Bank and the Equitable Trust and Savings Banks declaring that Walsh had lent too much of the funds of the banks to his own companies.

Walsh in his ambition built two or three railroads in Illinois and Indiana on money that he borrowed from the bank which he founded, giving no security and entering the loans on the bank books in such a way as not to show where they went.

It was upon this specific charge that he was indicted. He put up a terrific fight for freedom, employing as his counsel Lawyer Miller, who defended Standard Oil in the famous $29,000,000 fine suit. The trial was interrupted by the dramatic murder in the court room of the federal district attorney by a woman.

Founded Two Newspapers.

Walsh was one of the founders of the Chicago Herald (now the Record-Herald) and later started and owned the Chicago Chronicle, for years the only Democratic paper in the city.

He is an old man now—probably just sixty-five—and it is really doubtful if he ever serves his sentence.

WRIGHT MEANT NO HARM; WILL GO FREE

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 5.—The examination of Arthur G. Wright of Somerville, Mass., who was arrested because of his resemblance to attempting to get near President Taft, and upon whom was found a revolver and an extra supply of ammunition, was continued until to-morrow. Wright was charged with carrying a concealed weapon. The police have been investigating his record and are satisfied that he had no evil intention. He probably will be released.

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GARAGE AND AUTO LOST IN EXPLOSION

There was a spectacular fire in fashionable Brookline at 10 o'clock today for which two alarms were rung in and many pieces of apparatus responded. The fine garage and new automobile of James S. Murphy were destroyed and the resulting loss is estimated at $5,000.

Two terrific explosions alarmed the neighborhood. Wealthy residents of the Hyde Majestic and exclusive apartment houses and private residences in the vicinity rushed out of doors in wonder or panic. Seldom have Brookline people had such a crowd of spectators.

The garage of Murphy was a big brick building, formerly used as a stable and located in the rear of his handsome residence at No. 1,525 Beacon street. It was a big new touring car which had just been delivered that caused the fire.

His chauffeur, Arthur Barber, was busy cleaning up, according to his usual morning routine with doors and windows closed, when there was a deafening explosion. In an instant the inside of the garage was filled with flame. Barber escaped without serious, but had a close call. The police believe that he may have been using matches for cleaning purposes, but just what caused the explosion they have not as yet decided.

In a few moments the fire reached the tank of the new automobile and then came the second explosion. By the time the firemen arrived it was too late to save the garage and the auto was being converted into a heap of scrap iron.

In the rear of the Murphy garage, and fronting on Washington street, is the Colonial Garage, a public institution, and it was feared that the fire would spread to it. It housed many valuable autos and automobiles worked in feverish haste to get them out of the building and to a place of safety.

GUILD BOUND HOME FROM LONG TOUR

Ex-Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., with Mrs. Guild, sailed from Liverpool today on the Cunarder Ivernia for Boston, after a vacation abroad of nearly two months' duration.

Colonel Guild sailed from Boston on June 4 last, and has spent the intervening time on the European continent, delivering in the course of his travels two addresses in French in two different countries of Europe.

Both addresses related to Calvinism. The first was delivered during the first week of July at Geneva, Switzerland, at the 300th anniversary of the University of Geneva, which occurred upon the date of the memorial day. Colonel Guild took for the subject the life of John Calvin.

At Vienne, France, he spoke at the dedication of a memorial to Michael Servetus, called the first "Unitarian" because of his theological beliefs.

The ex-Governor raised almost immediately after his arrival in Liverpool to France, through which he traveled at leisure by automobile. The trip was broken into by the trip to Switzerland, after which the automobile journey was resumed as far as Vienne. From Vienne Mr. Guild journeyed with Dr. Robert W. Lovett of Boston, who was his room mate at Harvard College. For the first time since the days of the class of '81 Dr. Lovett and Mr. Guild were together on a pleasure trip.

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GIRLS' TRADE SCHOOL IS OVERCROWDED

The trade school for girls, that occupies two houses at Nos. 618 and 620 Massachusetts avenue, is so crowded that an addition to the school may have to be constructed. After the school was taken over by the city it instantly became highly popular, and now that the fall term has started its popularity is attested by the great crowd of pupils that tests the capacity of the two houses. Should the school continue to grow, as it is confidently expected it will, there will soon be need for larger accommodations for the girls.

FOR THE PUBLIC

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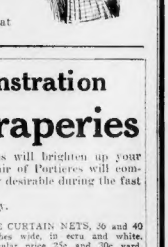

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PROVIDENCE CITIZENS START WAR ON THE BEEF TRUST BOOST IN PRICE

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 5.—Aroused by the startling advances in the cost of meats, greater in proportion than in the price of any other foodstuff, the people of Providence have begun a determined campaign against the butchers and marketmen to force prices back to normal and make it possible to keep out of the vegetarian ranks without going into bankruptcy.

It is no disorganized effort, lots of the people. For the first time in the history of the city, the Mayor has taken a hand and intends to learn if the advance is unreasonable. The Board of Trade is in the up to the matter and the allied trades-union committees are working in behalf of the people. So strong has the agitation grown that beefsteak a reduction in the price of 5c per cubic inch of meats was ordered in all of the leading stores and markets, with the prospect of a further reduction in the near future.

The people have their complaints on a comparison of prices charged in Providence with those of Boston and Worcester. When the people of Boston complain that sirloin steak is too high at 30-40 cents, Providence meat-eaters feel that they should not have to pay 35. Sirloin steak, marked up to 50 cents by Boston, calls for 33 cents in Providence. And so on down the list, even to mutton and pork.

The dealers, frightened by the agitation and fearing that the reduction already made will not why look for a cool will of the people have given out an open letter and through their president, Patrick J. Murray, have appealed to the Mayor to call a halt in the fight. They base their case on

Top Prices for Meat Here and in Providence

	Prov. dence.	Boston cents.
Sirloin roast	30	25
Sirloin steak	30	34
Porterhouse steak	30	34
Rump steak	30	35
Rib roast	22	25
Fancy brisket	15	15
Other corned beef	12	15
Hamburg steak	14	20
Lamb, hindquarter	18	22
fore quarter	16	17
short chops	25	36
Mutton, hindquarters	15	16
fore quarters	12	12
short chops	25	25
Ham	17	18
Bacon	20	28
Fresh pork	20	17
Sausage	20	20
Tripe	18	14

three things: That the people of Providence eat more steak and fine cuts in proportion to their number than those of any city in the country; that Providence dealers have to pay $2.50 more per ton for ice than the dealers in Boston, and that Providence people have determined closer and better ride in the fight. They base their case on that those of Boston.

SPAIN'S KING PREPARING TO FLEE REVOLT

PARIS, Oct. 5.—The prolonged and costly war in Morocco is rapidly precipitating a crisis in Spain, which may bring about the overthrow of King Alfonso.

The Spanish government has taken entire control of all means of communication, and no dispatch can be sent out of the country that has not been inspected and authorized by the military censor. Authentic news has, however, reached Paris that conditions in Spain are nearly revolutionary than in the days of the Barcelona uprising.

King Alfonso maintains a bold front, but it is understood that all arrangements have been made for a precipitate departure of the royal family when the crisis breaks.

The extension of the field operations in Africa, by the dispatch of reinforcements to General Marina, is further complicated by the possibility of a general European war of war between Morocco and Spain. While the Cortes is closed, the Council of State is obliged to authorize unfavorable expenditures, and rumors are afloat to-day of discussions in the council. It is understood that the military, the influence of which is growing now pushes that the military efforts and sacrifices in Africa must be compensated by the permanent occupation of the Moroccan coast between Cape Tres Forcas and Tetuan.

GRAND COUNCILLOR OF CHINA IS DEAD

PEKIN, Oct. 5.—Chang-Chih-Tung, grand councillor of China, is dead. He tendered his resignation yesterday, but in view of his critical condition, the Emperor granted the veteran statesman an indefinite leave of absence and also conferred additional honors upon him. Chang-Chih-Tung, who was appointed controller general of the Canton-Hankow Railroad in 1908, was this year appointed controller of the Hankow-Szechuan Railroad. He was a very old man and had lately been suffering from cancer. As a member of the grand council he was one of the most prominent Chinese administrators in the empire. He took a prominent part in the negotiations for the Chinese railroad loan of next, opposing the claims for participation of American as well as other foreign bankers, but finally consented after President Taft took a hand in the case.

ITALY REFUSES MORGAN'S OFFER

VENICE, Italy, Oct. 5.—The government has been compelled to refuse an alleged offer of $5,000,000 for the old Palace Reggia at Mantuel, made by J. P. Morgan. The walls of this ancient palace were frescoed by Raphael and Rubens, and it is considered one of the glories of Italy. It is said to have been the intention of Mr. Morgan to restore it to its former glories, so that it might be admired by the thousands of tourists that yearly swarm Italy.

DEDHAM MAN MISSING

Dennis Hanlon, thirty-six years of age, living on Bullard street, Dedham, has been missing since Saturday. Hanlon has been employed as a coachman by Hon. Winslow Warren for several years, is married and has three small children, the oldest being about eight years of age.

MELROSE FOLKS WAR ON BREAD MIXERS

The Melrose aldermen have received a petition from Theodore G. Crum and seven others, asking that Friend Bros., bakers, at Grove and Main streets, be restrained from running a bread mixing machine between the hours of 6 a. m. and 6 p. m.

The petitioners say that there is excessive noise caused by the running of trucks to and from the ovens, and of the rattling of tin pans which disturbs their sleep. The petition was referred to the committee on legal affairs.

INVALID DIES IN FIRE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Maurice Lindsey, an invalid and former electrician, was burned to death in his bed on the third floor flat at No. 877 Eddy street early to-day. All other occupants of the building escaped.

WELLESLEY OPENS WITH RECORD LIST

The college year opened at Wellesley today with an enrollment of 1,00 young women, the largest number of students in the history of the college. President Caroline Hazard, who was absent on account of ill-health most of last year, was present today in her office at the opening of the college. A number of changes in the teaching staff took effect to-day, the most important of which was the inauguration of Miss Amy M. Hoguins as head of the physical training department. She comes from the Boston Normal School of gymnastics, which has been merged with Wellesley. Miss Hogmans will have charge of the new $100,000 gymnasium. To-day marked the beginning of the 34th year of the college.

WHAT TIME AT POLE WHEN IT'S NOON HERE?

Have you jumped into the North Pole exploration contest? Can you so solve the problem?

The BOSTON AMERICAN has offered a prize of $5 and six prizes of $3 each for correct answers.

Here's the problem:

When it is 12 o'clock noon in Boston, what time is it at the North Pole?

There's the puzzle for you.

There seems to be a different answer in nearly from what view point you look at it, doesn't there?

Come on with your ideas, however. Address your answers to the North Pole Editor of BOSTON AMERICAN, Boston.

Here are a few replies just received:

HERE'S A MITT BUNCH.

North Pole Editor:

I'll wager ten to one, on a Mitt bunch, that you don't know what time it is at the North Pole, nobody else does, so now, do I make a bullseye on this?

Revere Beach. CHESTER WORTH.

WANTS PRIZE RIGHT AWAY.

North Pole Editor:

When it is noon in Boston it is midnight at the North Pole. Send the prize to-

IRVING WATSON,
Bine Hill avenue, Revere Beach.

PUTS IT UP TO COOK.

North Pole Editor:

Ask Cook. If he can tell, that proves he has been to the North Pole. If he can't tell, then we've got him. Send my easy prize Perry a chance.

J. P. WELCH.
Charlestown.

WHAT! INFORMATION?

North Pole Editor:

There is no time at the North Pole. They don't have moons up there at all.

Anybody knows that. That's why the months of eight and six months of day. Back to the hills with the sleds. Spring something lively.

W. J. JAMES.

JUST AS THE SUN WENT DOWN.

North Pole Editor:

When it is noon in Boston it might to most any old time at the North Pole. At this season of the year, about twilight.

CATHERINE DOHERTY.
Abington.

North Pole Editor:

It is perpetual midnight at the North Pole until the sun crosses the equator again.

E. M'LAUGHLIN
21 W. Walnut Pk., Boston.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

"1915" POSTERS ARE IN DEMAND

The posters for the "1915" Boston Exposition have made their appearance and are attracting considerable attention. The design, by Frank Vining Smith, was selected in a prize competition and represents Boston from a view point, apparently, of an air ship hovering above the city near the Art Museum building, where the exposition is to be held. In the air ship is the Curtiss biplane, which is to be one of the attractions of the show, and the whole picture is lighted up by the sun rising over the islands of the harbor. The lithographic work is done in seven colors.

GIRL ADMITS THEFT FROM CLOTHESLINE

Mary Holgrum and Elizabeth Ivy Pike were arraigned in the Dorchester Police Court to-day charged with robbing Dorchester residents. The Holgrum girl, who is but sixteen, pleaded guilty, and was sent to the House of the Good Shepherd, pending a disposition of her case by the court. Ida Pike, also a negress, who is eighteen, was sentenced to Sherborn Prison. She appealed. The girls were arrested last night after a long chase by Policemen Reardon and Murrin.

WORLD LEADERS TO HONOR NEW HARVARD HEAD

Scientists and educators representing nearly every country in the world will attend the inaugural of Abbott Lawrence Lowell as president of Harvard to-morrow which ceremony will be carried out with all the pomp and power that have governed similar occasions during the hundreds of years of the institution's existence.

For weeks past the university records have been carefully inspected and accounts of the inauguration of all the presidents since 1707 have been compared. None of the observances sanctioned by custom will be omitted.

Among the 250 delegates to attend the ceremony 185 are presidents of colleges. Such men as James Bryce, President Hadley, Dr. Eliot, Woodrow Wilson will come to pay honor to the university and to the new president, and the guests who will be seated on the platform when President Lowell takes possession of the seal, keys and charter of the university will be the most notable assemblage ever gathered in New England.

More than 1,500 tickets have been issued to graduates and undergraduates and the number in attendance to-morrow is expected to eclipse any class day throng ever within Harvard's gates.

The elaborate scale on which the inaugural must be carried out makes it imperative that the ceremony should be conducted in the open air.

A platform, extending across the entire front of University Hall, has been erected for the occasion, and on this will be seated the delegates, the officers of the university and the Alumni chorus.

A smaller platform, standing about three feet above the main stage will be the scene of the actual induction of President Lowell into office. Decked in uniform and sword, in accordance with custom in the past, Sheriff Jenkins of Middlesex County will deliver to Professor Eliot's successor the symbols of his rank and power.

COBB'S "ABRAHAM" TO BE UNVEILED

For the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of Darius Cobb's historical painting of Abraham, which will be unveiled on the occasion, an elaborate program of exercises, including a concert and addresses, will be held in Tremont Temple on Wednesday evening, November 10. Some twenty prominent Jewish speakers from all parts of the country will be present to address those present.

The painting is considered by critics to be Mr. Cobb's masterpiece. The artist received the subject of Abraham in his boyhood, many years ago, but determined to wait for the full maturity of his powers before he undertook it to paint.

Admission will be by ticket, which are on sale at the Tremont Temple box office, or can be procured by addressing Morris A. Margolis, No. 324 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

HISGEN OIL PLANT OPENS NEXT WEEK

Active competition with the Standard Oil Company in Boston will be begun by the Four Brothers Oil Company, of which Thomas L. Hisgen is the head, early next week. The independent plant here is practically complete, with all buildings on and four large tanks, with a storage capacity of 125,000 gallons, filled. This will be the biggest move ever undertaken by Mr. Hisgen, and Mr. Hisgen speaking of the Boston venture, "and much depends upon its success. We shall be able to sell oil to the people in and about Boston just as cheap as they can buy it from the Standard Oil."

WRIGHT WILL TEACH SIGNAL MEN TO FLY

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Wilbur Wright leaves here late to-day for Washington, where he will give instructions to members of the Signal Corps in the machine bought by the government. Despite the accident of yesterday afternoon that caused an end of the aeroplane flights in New York, the Wright aviator has showed his sight to the title of "King of the Air" by his flight up the Hudson.

The machine was badly damaged by the blowing out of the top of one of the motor cylinders, and it will require some time to repair, even if a new engine is not necessary. Mr. Wright was happy to-day despite his mishaps.

"I feel that I have fulfilled my contract with the Hudson-Fulton Commission, but I haven't quite conquered the air," he said. "I feel, however, that I have conquered the good will of the people of New York, and there is a lot of satisfaction in that. I want to thank the people here, particularly the newspaper men, for their courtesy and forbearance. The newspaper men in New York who were at Governor's Island were very considerate in dealing with me, far better than those in France. In France the reporters would crawl into my tent and insist upon interviewing me. They would write preposterous articles and never could seem to understand why I would not fly at 4 a.m. time."

Although Wright did not meet technically all the provisions of his contract, which called for a continuous flight of an hour, traveling a distance of ten miles, it is generally conceded that he covered the $10,000, or whatever the amount is that is to be nominated. In his flight in the air he covered twice the distance called for in thirty-three minutes and thirty-three seconds.

Wright's feat ranks with the greatest achievements of aviation. Many claim it was even more remarkable than Bleriot's flight across the English Channel.

The distance of the two flights were approximately the same, but in the case of Wright he had a far more difficult course. The Bleriot machine was driven between hills and "holes" in the air, sharp gusts and unexpected upward and downward waves. Every funnel of every ferry and excursion boat above which Wright flew was the centre of a tumult in the atmosphere. Every opening between the skyscrapers was the scene of an aerial valley, through which the wind ripped viciously. There were confusing clouds of smoke from steamers and almost deafening roaring of whistles, which, he said, bothered him the most.

"BILLIE" BURKE MAY LEAVE THE STAGE

PASADENA, Cal., Oct. 5.—Is Miss Billie Burke in love? She says "No;" but she says it slowly.

"Can a woman's art or vocation be combined with marriage and win success for both ventures?" she mused to-day, repeating a question. "I have often thought of that. I am not sure that I have. I have often asked myself that question, and do you know I do not believe I shall play much longer."

"Have you let that go to Mr. Frohman's ears?" she was asked.

"Oh, he is a fearful bluffer; all managers are. But, after all, Mr. Frohman realizes that there is in the true woman the longing for the home life, and I do not believe one should marry and continue on the stage."

MATE BITTER MUST SERVE JAIL TERM

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—Approval has been given by the navy department to the findings of the court-martial in the case of Frank R. Hitzel, chief machinist's mate, who with four enlisted men were tried on the report of the grounding of the cruiser Neginsett off Halibut Point, Mass., Aug. 11. Hitzel was found guilty of the charge of inefficient performance of duty and was sentenced to six months' confinement and discharge from the navy.

Y. M. C. A. INSTITUTE HAS RECORD ROLL

The department of the Association Institute of the Boston Y. M. C. A. has opened for the season with the largest enrollment in its history. The school numbered last year over 2,500. The registrations are particularly heavy in the School of Commerce and Finance, polytechnic school, electrical school and automobile school.

GRAPE CROP RUINED BY HEAVY RAINS

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 5.—Heavy rains have caused a loss of half a million dollars to grapes in the vicinity of Sacramento. Only a bright sun and a fresh wind will be able to save all large fruit from decay. The California fruit exchange sent telegrams east to prospective buyers that most if not all the Tokay crop has been destroyed.

NEW TAX IN EFFECT.

Beginning to-day the new tonnage tax of two cents instead of three goes into effect under the terms of the recent tariff bill on all vessels entering the port of Boston from foreign ports in North America, including Newfoundland, Central America, Bermuda, the West Indies and the Bahama Islands, as well as from ports of South America bordering on the Caribbean Sea. The decrease in the tonnage rates it is estimated will reduce the income about $500,000 annually. Heretofore it has averaged over $1,500,000 annually.

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substances. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles and cures Constipation. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher

We Announce Our Fall Exhibition of Art in China Ware

For weeks past we have been in daily receipt of large consignments of chinaware from the leading manufacturers of the old world, and are now able to open the Fall season with the most magnificent collection ever shown in New England. In addition to our imports, all the leading domestic makes are liberally represented.

STOCK PATTERN DINNERWARE—We carry the largest line of stock patterns at 10.00 to 400.00 a set, embracing many of the choicest designs that have been placed on the market.

Among this Fall's additions to these stock patterns we call special attention to the following patterns:

ALHAMBRA PATTERN from Tressemanes & Vogt.
LACE BORDER and GOLD DESIGN from Theo. Haviland.
IRIS, WHITE and GOLD BORDER DESIGN from Wm. Guerin.
SILVER SHAPE from Haviland & Co.

In English earthenware patterns we have added the new "Lily," "Orleans" and "Ipswich" patterns, which are unsurpassed in quality, style and price.

Dresden China—A new shipment of this artistic ware in "Large Single Rose," "Marie Antoinette," assorted floral patterns and ground laid color "character studies." Every requisite for table service. Priced at, apiece..... **65c to 12.00**

Chop and Salad Dishes—The newest, finest and most exclusive assortment ever shown; every conceivable decoration, shape and size in highest grade of French china. Priced, at apiece. **1.50 to 16.00**

Children's China—The popular "Sunbonnet Babies" china, "Nursery Rhymes" and "Royal Doulton" china in mugs, plates, cereal saucers, bowls, cups and saucers, etc. Priced at, apiece.... **25c to 1.00**

Guest Room Water Sets and boudoir trinket sets to match; a beautiful collection of all that is dainty and choice. Price, set..... **3.00 to 15.00**

Royal Doulton—A special collection of jugs, tobacco jars, cuspidors, etc., including English Tournament, "Shakespeare," "Falstaff," "Dickens," "Hunting" and "Motto" characters. Specially priced at, apiece ..... **90c to 20.00**

French China—Fancy table pieces in exclusive and artistic shapes and patterns never before shown; in such patterns as "Sweet Pea," "Clover," "Rosebud," "Encrusted White" and "Gold," "Enamelled" and conventional designs. Priced at, each ..... **1.00 to 15.00**

Dinner Sets	Dinner Sets	Dinner Sets	Dinner Sets
French china, 130 pieces, new shapes and patterns, worth 45.00. Special price	High grade china, 130 pieces, in choice, delicate patterns, worth 32.50. Special price	Best vitreous ware, 130 pieces, choice patterns worth 20.00. Special price	130 pieces standard quality ware, finely finished and guaranteed, worth 16.00. Special at
35.00	**22.50**	**14.95**	**10.95**

Also an Unequalled Showing of Imported and Domestic Glass Ware

We have been more successful than ever before in obtaining beautiful Glassware at reasonable prices. Our specialties are rich crystal, cut glass, Bohemian glass, Venetian glass, Kew Blas glass and English iridescent glass. In each kind we show a large variety of exclusive patterns in both practical and ornamental pieces.

We call special attention to a new line of rich crystal in a beautiful "Wild Rose" design—including both regular pieces and such nove ties as Camembert cheese and cracker dishes, new jarnnieres and frosted handled bon bon dishes. Prices range from, each.....3.50 to 20.00

Bohemian Glass at 50c to 15.00
Venetian Glass at 15c to 30.00
Kew Blas Glass at 75c to 10.00
Iridescent Glass at 25c to 10.00

The following items indicate some of the splendid values in this section:

Cut Glass	Cut Glass	Cut Glass	Cut Glass
Sugar and creamers in rich design, beautifully cut. Worth fully 3.00 Special at, each	Spoon trays to match sugar and creamers. Sold regularly, each, 2.00. Special at	Oil and vinegar cruets, cut in an attractive design and beautifully finished. Worth 4.00 each. Special at	Heavy fern dishes, cut in a new design. Have silver linings. Regularly sold at 4.50 each. Special at
2.19	**1.29**	**2.00**	**2.79**

Jordan Marsh Company

SAD WORLD! DUXBURYITES BACK AT WORK

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 5.—The Triune Immersionists, who waited for the end of the world at Duxbury, are all back home and at work. Arthur F. Bayard, one of the exhorters and a son-in-law of Frank N. Doughty, a leader, said today:

"The story that any of us sold our property is not true. We still believe the Messiah will soon come and that the prophecy will be fulfilled. We shall go back to Duxbury next Summer, if He does not come before then. There will be a meeting held Thursday afternoon in the Apostolic Church and others the next afternoon and evening."

Elder Robert Swan said: "The BOSTON AMERICAN published the best and fairest stories of any of our Duxbury meetings which appeared in any newspaper. We were all pleased by them."

The Immersionists say this is an extraordinary year, and still say it will be marked by the demolition of the world.

CHINESE MINISTER'S RECALL A MYSTERY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—State Department officials seem to be in the dark regarding the recall of Mr. Crane, the newly appointed Minister to China. Secretary of State Knox is not in Washington, but is expected this week. It is believed he sent instructions to Mr. Crane personally. It was said at the department before the recall of Mr. Crane was known that Secretary Knox on his return expected to take up the Taskou Railroad loan question and the negotiations of the bureaus of the department.

AN ATTACK OF LUMBAGO

CANNOT BE CURED BY EXTERNAL APPLICATIONS.

They May Give Temporary Relief but the Disease Must Be Cured Through the Blood.

Anyone who has had an attack of lumbago knows the ordinary treatments, such as hot cloths, hot water bags, hot mustrons and bags of heated salt or hops. These give a feeling of comfort, which is temporary relief, but the disease is not cured and one attack follows another, suddenly and painfully.

As in the treatment of muscular rheumatism, lumbago must be cured through the blood. This is the method of the tonic treatment and its success is shown by the statement of Mrs. Ida M. Hawes, of No. 1156 Washington street, North Dorchester, Mass. She says:

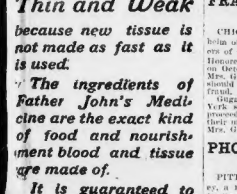
"Through exposure I became afflicted with lumbago a few years ago. I did not mind the trouble at first, but soon it became more serious. The pains would catch me very suddenly in the small of my back and it seemed as though I was doubled up. My right side was affected and the pains were worse during damp weather. I was hardly able to get around and do my work. My spine seemed to ache all of the time. I had these pains on and off for a number of years and was frequently confined to the bed for a week or more at a time.

"The doctor said I had a very bad case of lumbago and that it would be some time before I could get well. After taking his medicine for a while, I decided to change to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My sister had recommended them to me. The pills quickly helped me and I took them until cured."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have also cured such blood diseases as anaemia, rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fevers. Owing to the intimate relation between the blood and nerves, the pills have been found invaluable in such nervous diseases as locomotor ataxia, sciatica, neuralgia and St. Vitus' dance.

A booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," giving more information in regard to these, will be sent free on request. If you are suffering from impoverished blood you cannot afford to wait another day before giving the pills a trial.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box or six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.



People Grow Thin and Weak because new tissue is not made as fast as it is used.

The ingredients of Father John's Medicine are the exact kind of food and nourishment blood and tissue are made of.

It is guaranteed to make flesh and strength for those who are weak and run down.

No Alcohol or Dangerous Drugs

What Say You? Is Sunday Baseball a Good Thing?

Sunday baseball in Boston!

It's played in many cities of the West, with no unpleasant results. It is prohibited in New England.

Do you favor Sunday baseball? Would it help the community?

Hundreds of letters for and against the proposal to change the law to allow Sunday games have been received. How do you feel about it?

Send in your opinion in a letter of not more than 100 words to the BOSTON AMERICAN, Sunday Baseball Department.

NO BIBLE LAW AGAINST IT.

Editor AMERICAN:

Is Sunday baseball wrong? Why wrong? Is it immoral or contrary to law? There are laws on various kinds, such as civil and religious. The Bible tells us where there is no law there is no transgression.

There is no law of the Bible for or against baseball, therefore, I fail to see where the Church has any grievance, and the game is therefore good, moral and harmless.

The same book says "sin" is the transgression of law. The State, I believe, has a Sunday law against sports of almost any kind, but it was mostly a dead letter except where religious bigotry takes a hand in the spasmodic life into such a law as they are able to find which they think has a bearing on their interests.

I am a firm believer in respect for the laws of our country, good or bad, so long as they are on the statute books, but laws are bad ones let us have them repealed and such they are repealed, respect will go. As there is nothing in baseball that is harmful of itself, and is recreative enough for the other days of the week, it would also be good, many or no many, if the people have a legal right to play ball.

163 Liberty street, Lynn. A. BARTLETT.

REST ON THE SABBATH.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

The Sabbath was set aside for a day of rest for mankind and the worship of God. Rushing around a ball field is not to my thinking physical rest, neither is it worshipping God.

I believe the Lord condones manly sports to upbuild the body, but not to be done on the Sabbath. The soul or spiritual senses are to be developed on this day. Some church members condemn riding a bicycle on Sunday. They willingly drive a horse the other six days of the week and not pay for its feed or their own, either.

Selling the brain-poison liquor on six days of the week and pretending to love God on Sunday is a pretty poor religion. It is just as important man's duty to keep God six days of the week as one day only.

FRED BRADLEE ABBOT.

Box 416, Shawsheen.

LET THE GAME BE PLAYED.

Editor AMERICAN:

Come on with your Sunday baseball. There is no more healthful exercise than watching a number of athletes swing clever bats at a sphere or chase a bunt down the foul line. And besides, it is good for the lungs when there is a chance to see the home team win.

Of course we don't care how the play is pulled off, but remember one brilliant young player who has been hard hit by one of the National League clubs because he refused to keep a promise to his mother not to play ball on Sunday. There ought be a room or two set aside with room with a bottle to each visitor, things good for ball game is at stake? F. B. O'MARA.

South Boston.

KEEP THE MEN FOLKS HOME.

Editor AMERICAN:

Will you heed the appeal of women and stop this agitation for Sunday baseball? Let us have one day in the week when we might stay at home with our wives or children out. If you have this Sunday baseball, when will we see our husbands?

Brighton. Mrs. J. T. FINNIGAN.

MAN BURIED BEGS FOR AID

CENTRAL ISLIP, L. I., Oct. 5.—Workmen taking their turns today digging in the treacherous quicksands to rescue young John Coffen, who was entombed in a well he was digging Sunday, heard what they thought were faint cries for help. The sounds seemed to come from the unsolid pipe protruding from the well and instantly the fifty or more volunteers fell to with shovel and pick with renewed zeal in the hope that by some miracle Coffen is still alive.

James Gildersleeve, his three stalwart sons, all of them expert well diggers, aided by the farmers from the vicinity, abandoned all hope for the life of the entombed man last night. The farmers had been working in relays of four since the well collapsed without intermission. For hours they were spurred on by feeble knockings at the pipe, which proved that Coffen was alive and as one man would tire a second would leap into the hole and take his place.

DR. PARKHURST IS OUT FOR BANNARD

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst last night came out flatfooted for Otto T. Bannard. He talked at some length on the "rottenness of New York politics," and emphasized his remarks with frequent references to Tammany Hall. Throughout the interview the clergyman maintained that the citizens of this town are face to face with a crisis, and that their only hope of salvation lies in their ability to get out and fight.

MILLION FOR Y. M. C. A. HOME

The task of raising $1,000,000 for a new building for the Young Men's Christian Association of Boston will be taken up by the 6,000 members this week. The new building will stand at Arlington and Newbury streets, on land which was purchased in 1906.

Announcement of the plan to raise the money came in a call to members of the Association to attend a mass meeting in Association Hall next Saturday night. To night there will be an important meeting of department heads.

The new site acquired by the Y. M. C. A. is considered one of the most valuable in the Back Bay. It comprises the entire property at Nos. 13, 14 and 15 Arlington street and No. 2 Newbury street.

For fifty-five years the present building has been too small. It was planned to raise the money two years ago, but the financial stringency at that time forced a postponement in the plan.

REV. DR. HENSON HAS A NEW CALL

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 5.—The Rev. P. S. Henson, former pastor of Tremont Temple, Boston, says he intends making his home here, and admits he had received a call to the pulpit which for many years was occupied by "Dad" Burdette, the humorist.

If Dr. Henson refused to say he had accepted, but intimated he was considering the call with favor.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT DEFICIT IS $20,000

A deficit of nearly $20,000 already faces the Boston School Department. At the meeting of the School Committee an estimate of increase in expenses for instructors' salaries showed a total of $110,948.71, which means a deficit of $18,179.69 in this item alone.

FIVE DROWN FROM CAPSIZED BOAT

WOLFVILLE, N. S., Oct. 5.—Five persons out of a party of seven lost their lives by the capsizing of a boat in Minas Bay today. The victims are Robert Martin, Mrs. Robert Martin, Percy Martin, fourteen; Hilda Martin, fifteen, and Gertrude Stivers, three.

AWAY GOES INDIGESTION, GAS AND ALL OTHER STOMACH MISERY

As there is often some one in your family who suffers an attack of indigestion or some form of Stomach trouble, why don't you keep some Diapepsin in the house handy?

This harmless blessing will digest anything you can eat without the slightest discomfort, and overcome a sour, gassy Stomach five minutes after.

Tell your pharmacist to let you read the formula plainly printed on these 50-cent cases of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will readily see why it makes Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn and other distress go in five minutes and relieves at once such miseries as Belching, Gas, Eructations of sour undigested food, Nausea, Headaches, Dizziness, Constipation and other Stomach disorders.

Some folks have tried so long to find relief from Indigestion and Dyspepsia or an out-of-order stomach with the common everyday cures advertised that they have about made up their minds that they have something else wrong, or believe theirs is a case of Nervousness, Gastritis, Catarrh of the Stomach or Cancer.

This, no doubt, is a serious mistake. Your real trouble is, what you eat does not digest; instead, it ferments and sours, turns to acid, Gas and Stomach poison, which putrefy in the digestive tract and intestines, and, besides, poison the breath with nauseous odors.

A hearty appetite, with thorough digestion, and without the slightest discomfort or misery of the Stomach, is waiting for you as soon as you decide to try Pape's Diapepsin.

HARRY WHITNEY AT NEW HAVEN

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 5.—Harry Whitney, the Arctic hunter, arrived in this city today and went to his home in Whitney avenue. He would not discuss any points of the Cook and Peary controversy. He said that he would believe both men until their statements were disproved, but he would answer no questions relating to the discovery of the Pole. He will leave this Winter to hunt in the South and will go next year to hunt in Africa.

Whitney explained his disappearance on Saturday by saying that he was so beset by interviewers that he decided a rest was necessary, so with the help of the conductor he jumped off the parlor car at Salem and telephoned to Andrew Carnegie, asking of he might go to Manchester, and remained there until the interviewers left him. Then he took a 100-mile automobile ride to Dalton, Pittsfield, Lenox and Stockbridge. Oliver Rickerson, the brother-in-law of Frank Carnegie, left for Stockbridge and met Monday night at 10 o'clock started for Pittsfield. Both motored and catching the express to this city. He will go to New York to-night or to-morrow morning to get his baggage off the Roosevelt.

KELLEY SCORES HILL AND HAM

Patrick H. Kelley, candidate for the Democratic district attorney nomination at Faneuil Hall, last evening, went for District Attorney Hill with hammer and tongs. There were 100 at the meeting. One of the listeners was the venerable Gamaliel Bradford, who thought he was attending a meeting for the discussion of Plan No. 1 and No. 2.

In the course of his speech Mr. Kelley declared that Governor Draper should not have appointed a Republican politician smearing Hill to take the place of Moran.

"The first thing Mr. Hill did was to not pros the case against Charles B. Reay," said the speaker. "I charge Mr. Hill with having done this corruptly.

"I charge the Democratic friends of Guy A. Ham in politics and in the District Attorney's office with having done the same thing in connection with a savings bank.

"If I were district attorney I would indict Governor Draper for criminal conspiracy to break the laws of the United States in connection with the merger."

CAPTIVE SHARK FIGHTS SAILOR

In a battle with a ten-foot shark out at sea to-day Captain Lewis Edson of Scituate had a narrow escape from drowning when the huge fish hauled at his nets in a desperate attempt to get away and several times almost capsized the little dory with the plucky fisherman. The fight between man and fish took place over a mile out from the harbor and lasted over an hour.

Captain Edson went out to get his fish traps nets and to see what kind of a haul or catch he had made over night. The only thing in the nets was the shark and from the time the captain touched the nets the battle was on.

The captain will exhibit his catch at the Brockton Fair if possible.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

STATE A LOSER BY THAYER DECISION

WORCESTER, Oct. 5.—The legacy tax due the State on the $800,000 estate of the late Eugene V. R. Thayer will be paid by his heirs out of his own estate, and not out of that of his father, of which he was the trustee. This is the decision made by Judge Forbes of the Probate Court, examining the State to lose a great part of the tax which it sought to collect. The State treasury will get 2 per cent. on the private fortune of E. V. R. Thayer, which is assessed at $275,700.53, instead of 2 per cent. of $800,000, which is the total value of the estate of which he was trustee during his lifetime.

MOROCCAN PRIESTS DECLARE HOLY WAR

GIBRALTAR, Oct. 5.—The Moroccan priests with the Riff tribesmen at Melilla have declared a holy war of extermination against the Christians.

Today thousands of fanatic warriors from the interior tribes are pouring into the native camps that hedge the Spanish troops in the Melilla peninsula, according to dispatches received here.

FRAUD IS CHARGED IN DIVORCE SUIT

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—William Guggenheim of New York, one of the seven brothers of smelter fame, was ordered by Judge Honore in the Circuit Court to show cause on October 12 why the divorce granted to Mrs. Grace H. Guggenheim in Reno, Nevada, should not be set aside on the ground of fraud.

Guggenheim later married a young New York society woman. Should the divorce proceedings in Illinois be declared illegal their marriage would be considered invalid. Mrs. Grace Guggenheim also remarried.

PHONED HIS OWN DEATH NOTICE

PITTSBURG, Oct. 5.—Theodore J. Leckey, a member of a prominent North Side family, is locked up as a suspicious person. Saturday an obituary notice of young Leckey was phoned to all the Pittsburg evening papers and used by them. Leckey then announced that he was not dead. Mrs. Leckey fell in a faint when she read the death notice of her son. Leckey will be asked by the police to prove that he did not phone the death notice himself.

HUDSON FETE AT KINGSTON

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 5.—The Half Moon, the Clermont and the escort flag fleet left Poughkeepsie early today and moved up to Kingston, where the second day of the up-state Hudson-Fulton celebration began. There were fully 10,000 visitors in town. The decorations, public and private, were never before so elaborate. The celebration to-day centres in the five towns along the river, and these were conspicuous in yesterday's program. These five towns are Hudson, Kingston, Catskill, Poughkeepsie and Yonkers. The arrival at Kingston of the Clermont and the Half Moon will be followed by a military and civic parade. Governor Hughes is to deliver an address at Kingston, and a luncheon will be served to the city's guests. The day's festivities will close with a reception to the Governor.

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We want every man and woman suffering from the excruciating torture of piles to just send their name and address to us and get by return mail a free trial package of the most effective and positive cure ever known for this disease, Pyramid Pile Cure.

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Felt Mattresses. Tomorrow we will place on sale the first 1000 the most wonderful offering ever made in felt mattresses. FULL SIZE, WELL MADE $10.00 bat, all over the country. Tomorrow, the one day only,

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$6.50 Rocker

$3.95

Beds and Bedding

This $30 Brass Bed for $20. Every brass and enamel bed contained in the Cash Discount warehouse will be sold tomorrow at 1/3 off their price. There will, however, not be enough of them to fill the demand. Therefore, we again offer to the public the beautiful square post cast brass bed. Regular $30 value, for

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Snaps Fresh, extra large, crisp ginger snaps. Regular quality, 5 lbs. for 25c; per lb..... **5½c**

Salt Crystal rock table salt. 100 5 lb bag for..... **5c**

Sugar With 2 lbs of our 35c tea or with $1.00 worth of our 50c or 60c tea, we offer 25 lbs. best fine granulated sugar for **1.19**

Potatoes Finest Green Mountain stock, just received, bush. of 60 lbs. 82c; per peck..... **22c**

Sweet Potatoes Extra fine Jersey stock, 13 lbs. for..... **25c**

Raisins Nonpareil hand seeded raisins, the best product of California. Fancy grade, large size, packed in full weight cartons to sell at 15c per pkg., for..... **9c**

All the Specials in Canned Goods Featured in Last Sunday's Papers on Sale Wednesday and Thursday

Tomatoes Shield brand in No. 2 cans, a choice quality, economical cans on special sale, per dozen, 80c, case..... **7c**

Peas Hubbard's Early June, a fine sweet tender pea, this year's pack. Width 13c, at, per can, $1.65, can..... **9c**

Nabisco Wafers (4 tins at, each..... **7½c**

Sauce Dudley's Challenge mushroom bottles, 30c; small..... **10c**

Cocoa Van Houten's real Dutch Cocoa, 1 lb. tins, 30c, ½lb. tins 15c, ¼lb...... **13c**

Jams Cheers' famous English make, popular varieties, doz. $2.85, lb. jars..... **24c**

Milk Van Camp's large tall cans, Evaporated Cream, 2 cans for 15c; per can..... **8½c**

Flavoring "Arome" vanilla, lemon, peppermint, bouquet, orange and ginger ex. brand. Big value at, per bot..... **17½c**

Butter Our famous Hazel brand, made fresh every day, 3 lbs. $1.26; 1 lb..... **10c**

Cheese Flies New York cream cheese, lb..... **40c**

Ivory Soap small bars (6 limit) **3½c**

Bacon Best sugar cured, selected, mixed strips, per lb..... **19c**

Native Onions Best stock, per peck..... **17½c**

Angel Cakes large size, 20c; small size at..... **12c**

Ice Cream Cake Delicious flavor, fresh per loaf..... **29c**

Roast Ham Delicious flavor, fresh roasted, lb..... **8c**

Chicken Soup Extra fine, ready to serve, per can..... **32c**

Finnan Haddie Finest smoked, lb..... **9c**

Figs special, per lb..... **14c**

Borax Eagle brand, 1c packages for..... **4c**

Ferns Hardy asparagus ferns, regularly 20c, at..... **10c**

Palms Hardy table palms, at..... **29c**

Table Ferns A nice variety, large 10c to 25c, at..... **6c**

Rice 6 lbs. 25c, per lb..... **4½c**

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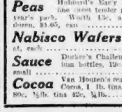

39c for this 47c Wear Ever Royal Roaster and Baker, polished steel, with cover, a handy utensil for roasting meats, poultry, fish and game, and for baking bread, biscuit, cake, etc., Size 14 in., long, 10 in. wide and 6 in. deep.

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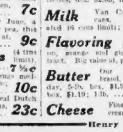
$1.00 Clothes Baskets Large size, reinforced, each..... **69c**

$1.00 Gas Lights Terminal inverted light, complete with air chamber, gas regulator, mantle and globe..... **35c**



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Toaster for gas, gasoline and alcohol stoves, nickel plated, practical, at..... **19c**

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CRIMSON ELEVEN GETS PRAISE FROM FORMER YALE MAN

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

KENTUCKY TROTS BEGIN TODAY WITH FUTURITY RACE

And There Was Little Jeff Waiting at the Church---By Bud Fisher

JOHNSON CONSENTS TO FIGHT KETCHEL OCT. 16

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Jack Johnson has at last agreed to a postponement of his contest with Stanley Ketchel. In a way the parties interested have fixed on a compromise date for the two men, who will be sent into the ring at Coffroth's arena on Saturday, October 16.

The match was arranged originally for October 12, Discovery Day, but when Promoter Coffroth and Manager Britt discovered that the labor unions would not observe the new holiday to any extent they clamored for another date. Johnson was asked to postpone until October 23, but held out against any such change.

Here's the new agreement entered into:

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 4, 1909.

At the request of J. W. Coffroth, both Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion, represented by Willus Britt, agreed to postpone the contest between the contestants at the ring at Colma, originally agreed upon and signed in New York on April 14, 1909, until the fifteenth day of October, and by each of us understood and agreed that all the agreements and stipulations set forth in the original articles of April 14 are to be put into full force and effect on October 16, 1909, and the only change is as to the date.

Signed:

JACK JOHNSON.
WILLUS BRITT, for Stanley Ketchel.
J. W. COFFROTH, for the ring.
Witness to the above, W. W. NAUGHTON.

Why Johnson Held Out.

When the signatures were attached to the foregoing, Willus Britt turned to Johnson and said:

"There surely will be a bigger house on the new date, although I would have preferred October 23. Now that everything is all right, just tell me, Jack, frankly why you held out against postponing so long."

"I'll be frank with you, Britt," said Johnson. "I didn't want to place you in a position of saying that you bulled me into doing things to suit you. I have thought the matter over and I decided to change the date because it suits Mr. Coffroth's plans. He has convinced me that there will be more money in sight on October 16, and it is Coffroth and not you who has influenced me in changing my mind."

Will Ease Up a Bit.

The work at the rival camps was the same as usual to-day. With an extension of four days Johnson and Ketchel will probably ease up a bit in their work. They will continue their afternoon sparring at first, as the crowds which attend each of the camps daily are becoming larger and larger. With a charge of admission made at the doors it would be like killing the goose that lays the golden egg to call a halt on the camp boxing bouts.

There will be a safe showing of more than $40,000 when Jack Johnson, champion of the world, and Stanley Ketchel, middleweight champion, step to the Colma ring. This is the combination predicted by James W. Coffroth, promoter of the fight. The coffroth says he has received offers of $50,000 and more, but he will not accept this morning.

"There will be a record-breaking crowd at the Avan that day," he said, "and for months has there been anything like the demand for seats in this fight. It looks to me, all indications taken into consideration, that we will count up over $40,000, and I wouldn't be surprised if the total came close to $50,000."

GREAT RACING AT LEXINGTON IS PROMISED

LEXINGTON RACE CARD THIS WEEK

TO-DAY.

Tennessee, 2:06 pace.....$2,000
Kentucky Futurity, three-year-olds.....14,000
2:09 class, pacing.....1,000

WEDNESDAY.

2:15 class, pacing.....1,000
Kentucky Futurity, two-year-olds.....14,000
2:16 class, trotting.....1,000
2:06 class, trotting.....1,000

THURSDAY.

The Pacing Parade, free-for-all.....2,000
The Transylvania, 2:12 trot.....2,000
2:20 class, trotting.....1,000

FRIDAY.

The Idonian, 2:24 trotting.....2,000
2:10 class, trotting.....1,000
2:08 class, trotting.....1,000

SATURDAY.

The Widow, 2:20 pacing.....2,000
2:14 class, trotting.....1,000
2:10 class, pacing.....1,000

The Lexington headliners this week are the Transylvania and the Kentucky Futurity. For the past couple of years they have been rather one-sided affairs, but this year they look up to providing contests that will rank with the best in history.

The Futurity to-day brings to the post more three-year-old trotters who can beat 2:10 than ever before have started in one race. Crarcena, Soprano and Baroness Virginia have records faster than that figure. Nancy McKerron has one of 2:10¼; O'Neill, James A. and The Widower have raced a single fusier; Billy Burke has a public trial of 2:09¼; Anita Gay has a mark of 2:12¼, made over a two-lap track; Al Stanley one of 2:13¾ on a twice-around, while Vito, Helvacia, Bertha C., Captain George and Galsworthy have all raced or shown better than 2:12.

In the Transylvania Thursday will be Pudenwalt, 2:05¼; Penisa Maid, 2:05¾; Bob Douglas, 2:06¼; Isaac Guard, 2:06¼; Baron May, 2:07½; Jack McKerron, 2:07¾, and Mary, 2:07¾; Judge Lee, 2:08½; El Viscoso, 2:08¾, and Marie N., 2:08¾. Margin, Carmoi and Demorest are also named, but unless present plans change will not start, as they are in the second string candidates of trainers McDonald, Shank and Geers.

There is a big delegation of Boston horsemen at the meeting. The following prominent horsemen left in a special car from the South station Saturday: W. H. Gardner, Jack Bunn, George A. Graham, W. D. Hunt, D. C. N. Hyams, A. H. Parker, Charles Marvin, Carroll

YOUNG CORBETT MEETS DESHLER AT ARMORY A. A.

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

MONTE ATTELL CLAIMS TO BE BANTAM CHAMP

STRAIGHT DOPE
FOR SPORT FANS

HERE'S A CHANCE FOR THE ARMORY A. A. or some other boxing club about Boston to put on some bouts that are real bouts. Kyle Whitney and Ralph Calloway, two warm members from California, are in Boston pining for a chance to toss it some of the Easterners who think they are good. Calloway, who is a dashing brunette, has $1,000 stowed away in his inside pocket, and he is anxious to wager that he can stop Willie Lewis in ten rounds. The same proposition is open to Porky Flynn, Bill McKinnon, Dan Sullivan or any other middleweight. Whitney, who is also of the negro persuasion, would like to get on with Honey Mellody, Mike Twin Sullivan, Terry Martin, Harry Lewis or any other middleweight. Both of the boys hail at the BOSTON AMERICAN office and signified their desire to post the aforesaid $1,000 with the Straight Dope editor; so come, you boxers and promoters, and get something started.

THE BOUTS AT THE ARMORY tonight promise to be the best pulled off there since the opening of the fall season, and it will be quite a relief after the three ensnided affairs. to see boys get to work as if they were trying to do something else than stay long enough to get the money. The main bout between Young Corbett and Dave Deshler should be a hummer, and I'm going to keep all money in my pocket until it's all over and then go purchase a drink for myself to the winner. Both boys have a lot to gain and lose, and take it from me, it's going to be a busy session. The preliminaries are a whole lot better than the average, and, take it all in all, it has the makings of the best entertainment of the season.

GALA TIMES IN PORTLAND, ME., this afternoon, when the Red Sox show their prowess against an All-Maine team, and enthusiasm abounds in large quantities. Harry Lord and Bill Carrigan, both of whom hail from the State up in the corner of the map, are playing against John I. Taylor's pets, and Francis and Donahue, who take their places in the Boston line, threaten to show them up for fair. Old Man Sorlers, who was in Portland last night, or, to be more exact, early this morning, says that the Maine boys are taking good care of themselves for the struggle, as not one of them could be found on the streets after 9 o'clock last night.

SOMEONE HAS BEEN GETTING HIS dope badly mixed out on the coast and sent it to Harry Gee at Spreckels, Cal., to settle the bantam championship. In which Monte Attell is one of the contestants, his opponent to be fight Johnny Kilbane on account of Jimmy Walsh. If so happens that Monte never defeated the little local boy and according to my dope, never will. If it's a clinch he won't if he keeps avoiding him as he has been doing for quite a while. Jimmy and Monte fought a draw in San Francisco, where it is mighty hard for anyone to even get that good against a native son, so it looks to me as if Jimmy must have had a lot the best of it. At any rate, Jimmy has been trying without success, to get on another match. Eddie Kelly, Jimmy's manager, sent the following telegram to the sporting editor of the Los Angeles Examiner last night:

Walker Examiner, Los Angeles, Cal.:

Eddie Kenny wrote that Monte Attell and Jimmy Walsh would meet last night was a draw in San Francisco, and many thought Walsh won. Would like Attell and Walsh with winner to Wolgast-Attell night. Have fixed Jimmy's end.

EDDIE KELLY.

Straight Dope, Boston American:

Most everyone pins a four-cornered name kind of a "clinch" at Ketchel and a lot of them are looking for what I would like to have in me. Are you a press agent for Hi-Hi, or a Sporting Life scribe? Let's have the real dope from insiders. Don't you remember for the Ketchel-Langford go what I would like to have in me. If you have reasons I believe Dillon was robbed, and don't you say so. If you don't want to think so, why those dark spots on the canvas? Don't you say so. Don't you think by answering questions I'll be able to write more civil and polite. Hoping you have enough stuff in you to answer a few questions I will await your reply.

WILLIAM HENRY H. DAY.

Ward Hill.

It hurts me great to answer a wise gink like you, William Henry, and I'm glad you take a daily paper in Ward Hill so you can keep abreast of the news. You're dead wrong on that politeness and civility business, however, as in that game Ketchel rolled runs second to no one—not 2. As for that Ketchel slam, you bet I hand it to him when I think he has it coming, and it is not necessary to read between the lines to see that my dope is that Ketchel, Britt, Coffroth, Roche et al. framed the job that put boxing on the blink in New York. If you can't understand why, you ought to pinch yourself to see if you're awake. If you are a regular reader of this column, William Henry H. Day you really should drop part of that moniker. It's too much for a man of your size to carry, you would know that I never hint at anything. What I have something to say, I don't it out straight from the shoulder. You'll believe it now, won't you, William Henry, etc.?

MORE EXPENSE IN RUNNING YALE TEAMS

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 5.—The cost of the athletic activities at Yale University increased during the college year ended August 31, 1908, according to the report of the finance committee for that year, made public today. The report is always one year behind, as the period is somewhat different from that of the college year.

Football took in $72,941, which was a falling off compared with the previous year because the Harvard game was played in Cambridge, and the expenses were $10,234, an increase of $4,983 over the previous year. Baseball took in $23,884, which was a slight increase of about $9,000, and the receipts for the Varsity and Freshman games were $82,101. Track and field athletics only received $2,865 and paid out $10,012, the year before the minor sports had a loss of about $11,000. Yale held cost $2,182, and a contribution of $300 was given to the Olympic games.

The total receipts from all sports for the year was $110,980, an increase of $11,-000 over the previous year, and the balance at the close of the year was $3961, an increase of $1,000 over the year before. Yale athletics, however, are not on a strictly cash basis, for the reserve fund increased $6,462 during the year from investments.

ATTELL TRAINS FOR WEBSTER

By H. M. WALKER.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 5—Bantamweight Champion Monte Attell has arrived from San Francisco and immediately started training at Vernon for his ten-round battle next Tuesday night with Danny Webster.

After a message from Johnny Coulon refusing to fight the winner of the Attell-Webster bout unless the fight was scheduled for twenty rounds with referee decision, Promoter McCarey stated that he was satisfied that Coulon did not want to enter the list for the bantamweight title, so he would hang up the gold belt for Attell and Webster to fight for.

The Attell-Webster battle will have the distinction of being the first championship battle in the history of the fight game where the title will be awarded by a newspaper decision." Attell agreed to this arrangement today, the lightweight title, the McCarey gold belt, the side bet and the winner's end of the purse to depend on the decision of two out of the three Los Angeles sporting papers.

A knockout by either, of course, will render such decision unnecessary.

GOLF GOSSIP
NEWS OF THE LINKS

John G. Anderson, who won the low gross prize at the Albermarle Golf Club, had rather a strenuous twenty-four hours, but reached the club in time to play. He had left Philadelphia where he had been playing with the Massachusetts Golf team in the Lesley Cup matches on the Friday night train and after being awake nearly all night landed in Boston in time to reach the little golf course, with which he is so familiar, and win the best prize of the day.

There are just two more weeks of golf and then the open tournament season closes for this year, but it is going out strong. Activity in all lines of golf play is the rule for these coming weeks, as there are open tournaments, women's meetings, professional tourneys and innumerable club events are scheduled for this week and next. The open meeting at Wollaston and Chestnut Hill are looked forward to this week with considerable pleasure, particularly the meeting at the Wollaston course, as the holes in a few instances have been changed so that those who play after the first four holes have been played will be more or less of a new one.

The ten open meetings that have been held at the Myopia Hunt Club of Hamilton, Mass., scored up Saturday with the last tournament. These tourneys have been greatly enjoyed by the patrons of the summit Salem and Essex County Golf clubs, who attended all the meetings in good numbers.

One of the leading amateur golfers of the day in speaking of the ability of the young Western player said: "There are all those players—say, Gardner, Evans, Egan, Hunter, Siebel and one or two others, and there are no six amateur players in the United States but we could select a team to defeat before these experts who are still in their teens.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

BOSTON SPRINTERS TO MEET IN DASH

All of Boston's professional sprinters will compete against the pick of New England in the 125-yard handicap sprint to be given at the Martin-St. Gerdinsky's driving Club in Marlboro Driving park, Saturday afternoon. There will be money prizes of $25, $10 and $5 in the handicap and a consolation two-yards event in which prizes of $7, $5 and $3 will be given. The meet will also Thursday with P. W. Leary, 113 Lincoln street, Marlboro.

CY YOUNG AT COUNTY FAIR.

CANAL, DOVER, O., Oct. 5.—Cy Young has agreed to play ball at the county fair grounds here on Saturday, October 10, in a team to be made up of the best players who live in this county. The proceeds of the game will go to the Children's Hospital, Canal Dover. Last Fall Young played here and pitched against a team of hospital, and furnished a room in the institution at his own expense.

GOOD MAN FOR ANDOVER.

TONAWANDA, Oct. 5.—Walter S. Rose of this city left for Andover, Mass., where he will enter the Phillips-Andover Academy to prepare for his entry into Yale College. Rose while in the Tonawanda high school, was the star football, basket ball player, and gained himself an all-around athlete. He may make the Andover football team this fall.

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BIG ENTRY IN AUTO RACES

By J. C. KERRISON.

No less than 21 cars are entered for the Fairmont Park race on Saturday next, and the probabilities are that there will be just what it will allow, according to the original plan the entries were limited to 12, and then open only to cars of American make. Late however, the committee decided to accept the entries of foreign made cars providing however, they were nominated by the time of this morning. Oldfield's entry of a Benz car was first received and then rejected, and now the matter is to come before Chairman Hower for the consideration and final adjustment.

The cars entered for the event are Apperson, Malin Lehman, Palmer and Singer, Cole, Walter, Simplex, Knox, Pope-Hartford, Benz, 3; Apperson, driver not selected; Cole, Walter, Lewis, Pope-Hartford, driver not selected; Knox, Lozier, driver not announced; Benz, Caroline Ferrenbach; Simplex, Al Hall; Thomas, Willie Haupt; Thomas, Jr., Frank Clement; Pope-Hartford, Jr., Chadwick, Leonard Logan; Alco, H. F. Grant; Cutting, Fred Cuttle; Alco, Jr., Erwin R. Bergdoll; Chalmers-Detroit, L. Strang; Lozier, Robert Burman; Buick, American, E. G. Hoyt; Simplex, George Robertson; Buick, Lewis Strang; Buick, Robert Burman.

Each car, Hall, I understand, has left the Buick company, and hereafter will drive for the Buick team. Hall was the only pilot in the Vanderbilt Cup race. W. C. Durand of the Buick company, it is said, represented Strang, Buick driver in the third of $10,000, on $3,000 for the time record he made at Indianapolis.

In order to dispel any fear or doubt that the Riverhead-Mattick Long Island Derby course is correct, as far as distance goes, unless—is concerned, Daniel R. Young, a civil engineer and former justice of the peace of Riverhead has sent the Motor Contest Association the original certificate of measurement, sworn to on August 24, 1909, before Otis C. Pike, notary public of Suffolk County. Mr. Young also states that the course was measured along the south side of the road with a certified steel tape.

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Sir Herbert Praed was yesterday the guest of the Associations Highway Commission and was given an opportunity to inspect the fine paved roads of the Commonwealth. Accompanying Sir Herbert Praed was Dr. Cushman of the Public Road Commission of Washington. The two visitors are experts in road construction. Sir Herbert Praed being at the head of one of the largest road construction companies of London, England. On his visit to this country is made virtually for the purpose of inspecting American highways and highway construction.

O'BRIEN KNOCKS OUT STANTON AT SALEM

In the main bout at the Apollo A. A. in Salem Freddie O'Brien of Chelsea won the decision over Eddie Stanton of Lynn, after in the second round. In that period Stanton received the full force of Wanzer Kimball, got one arm free and then hit. While perfectly allowable, it did not meet with the approval of the members. O'Brien piled his lines and beat Stanton to the mat three times in the second.

Chester Bernard of Lynn made Jack Magee of Brockton quit in the second. In the preliminary Johnny Burns won from Jim Mooney.

GUIGNARD BIKE CHAMPION.

BERLIN, Oct. 5.—Henry Guignard, the Swiss cyclist, has won the cycling championship of Europe.

ATHLETES WANT CONWAY NEXT N. Y. SHERIFF

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Pat Conway for sheriff of New York" is the slogan of the athletic class. The peculiar position of the Irish favorite as a fighting politician and the Police powers may provide something real good in the game at the Stadium on Tuesday night when the ring will be turned to by points a year ago and is rated a corker.

Conway has always been a favorite with the fighting element, a former player, he was coaching the University of Colorado team.

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College Football Notes

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Oakhurst Farm, Whittinsville, has a good trio of stallions in Judge Lee (2.08¾), Henry Setzer (2.12¾) and Mac McDonald (2.10¼). Each represents a different family of the Electioneer, Hippy Medium branch. Setzer represents the Electioneer-Mac Dougall the Alcyone-Abdallah strain.

TROOPS TO STOP FIGHT.

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 5.—The report that an attempt would be made to pull off a battle in this State between Jeffries and Johnson has been accepted by the governor in all seriousness. He has declared he would not permit the fight and would use the State troops to prevent it if necessary.

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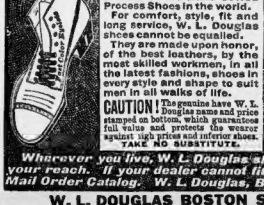

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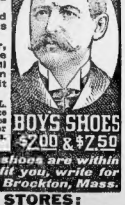

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BOSTON AMERICANS DOUBLE

No Excuse for a Bread Line

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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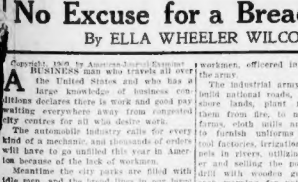
A BUSINESS man who travels all over the United States and who has a large knowledge of business conditions declares there is work and good pay waiting everywhere away from congested city centres for all who desire work.

The automobile industry calls for every kind of a mechanic, and thousands of orders will have to go unfilled this year in America on account of the lack of workmen.

Meantime the city parks are filled with idle men, and the bread lines in our large towns when the cold days come tell of the



There should be no bread line.

lack of method in our philanthropic and industrial organizations.

There should be no idle men, no bread line and no unemployed in America. We have work enough for all to do.

A letter lies before me, written by a retired naval officer, which suggests enterprises worthy of consideration. "Our country has only made a clearing," he says, "a trail in a forest, as it were. It now needs to be cultivated and improved."

He asks, "Have we reclaimed our shore lands, like Holland? Have we built roads, like the Romans? Have we cultivated and protected our forests, like Germany? Have we terraced our mountain slopes, like Japan?"

Then follows the suggestion of an industrial army, the privates to be enlisted from workmen, officered in part by officers of the army.

The industrial army work would be to build national roads, reclaim swamp and shore lands, plant forests and protect them from fire, to maintain government farms, cloth mills and sewing factories to furnish uniforms (women employed), tool factories, irrigation and dredging channels in rivers, utilizing streams for power and selling the power, every man to drill with wooden guns fifteen minutes each morning for uniformity.

The country, with 50,000,000 people, with a per capita wealth of $500, went into debt some four billion dollars, with destruction of property and untold slaughter in the war of 1861 to 1865. Now we have 80,000,000 people, with a per capita wealth of $1,500, and could afford to spend twenty billions for the improvement of the country.

All great movements must first be ideals; they must be challenged by the ready doubter, and must be met by indifference and ridicule; they must be called impracticable and visionary.

But if the mind that sent them forth persists in presenting them to the public, and persists in declaring them possible of becoming realities, the way will open eventually for such a result.

Every idea contained in the suggestions given above might, could and should be made practicable.

Prevent Poverty

Now, in the youth of our great country, is the time to begin prevention of the disease of poverty, which is slowly but surely killing England.

America is young, virile and powerful in its wealth of territory, its varied climates, its marvelous resources, are astonishing. Were the great minds of the nation to combine in some such project as the Industrial Army, it would prevent such conditions as now exist in England.

The women of England are aroused to a sense of the peril which threatens their land. Lady Brooke is active in trying to find employment for the starving poor, and other women of title and position are collaborating with the philanthropists in an endeavor to reduce pauperism in England. The last statistics show that every thirty-eighth individual is a pauper in England, with a much larger percentage in London.

Let the women and the men of America unite in preventing such a condition here.

Tact

By WINIFRED BLACK

I KNOW a man and a woman who went out to a dinner together. The man took too much wine and made violent and not too decorous love to a friend of his wife's who sat next to him.

The next day, when the man realized how absurdly he had behaved, he was very much ashamed, for he's really a decent fellow and really fond of his wife, or seems to think he is. He told his wife that he was ashamed of himself; that he never wanted to see any of the people who were at the dinner again, and he says that he would never drink too much any more.

But the wife is still very sad. Do you know why?

The man has never once said to her, "I don't care what these people think of me —I care about you, dear."

I suspect the woman who sat next to me! I care because I've hurt and humiliated you before her."

And the man thinks his wife is unforgiving and hard, and the wife thinks that her husband does not care for her any more—and there you are with a situation ripe for the sweet friend who will sympathize with the husband and break his wife's heart—or for the "discreet" man who will bind up the wound of the poor woman's broken pride—and ruin her life and the life of the very decent husband, as husbands go.

Who is to blame?

I know a man who went on a mountain-climbing expedition with a gay party. The man's wife was not invited, but the man didn't know that any women were going until it was too late to escape. So he went and had a fine time, and he came home and told his wife about it she was cross.

"Strange they invited you and left me out," she said. "Did you say anything about not knowing there would be women there?" No," said the man, quite frankly. "I did not," and the woman is just as much to blame as the man is indignance, and the man is annoyed with the woman for what he calls her perversity in taking offense where none was intended. Who was to blame this time—the man or the woman? I think the man was. If he had come home and said, "What a cold Smirt is, inviting me to a party like that and leaving you out; he might have known I wouldn't have any kind of a time without you." The wife would have said, "Oh, well, he didn't mean anything by it." And the whole thing would have rested there.

Neither of these quarrels is or should be really serious, though I'm afraid that if the woman had made indiscreet love to the husband's friend, the husband would have been apt to stay peevish about it for quite a while. But it is just these little quarrels that start real trouble. While the wife's heart is sore, along comes some one fed—a series of dinners or a class in ceramics or something perfectly innocent in itself. She throws herself into the affair—and before either the man or his wife realizes it they are drifted apart into a kind of amicable tolerance of each other's entirely separate interests.

And while the husband is chafing over what he thinks his wife's unreasonable exaction, along may come the woman who will flatter afterward as the "friend" in the divorce papers. The husband wouldn't have noticed her a week ago—but just now?

I wonder if it isn't worth while to have a little tact, not only with strangers, but with one's own husband or one's own wife? I wonder if it wouldn't pay as a good investment at home—as well as abroad—this affair of tact and consideration for each other's point of view once in a while.

ONE BISHOP AND ANOTHER

A GOOD story is related of a past Bishop of London who was dissatisfied with certain arrangements in his palace and called in an eminent architect to advise as to remedying matters. The architect took time to consider, and when he finally brought in his plans and estimates the figures were so great that the bishop relinquished his project.

"And now," said the bishop, "I shall be glad if you will tell me how much I shall pay you for your trouble in the matter."

"I thank your lordship," was the answer; "one hundred pounds."

The amount was disconcerting.

"Why, sir," said the bishop, "many of my curates do not receive so much for a whole year's service."

"That may be true, my lord, but you will remember that I happen to be a bishop in my profession."

There was nothing more to be said, and the cheque was drawn.

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DOROTHY—

Synopsis.

Paul Coquenil, a famous detective, formerly of the Paris force, has received an offer to reorganize the police force of Rio Janeiro. His salary has been placed at a figure larger than that Paris pays the chief of police. He is anxious to make public the news of his offer and with it the complimentary indorsement of the Paris Police Department, from which he had resigned two years before the story opens, under somewhat suspicious circumstances.

Coquenil is paying a few preliminary visits before his departure, which is to be that evening —July 4, 1907.

He walks down the Rue de la Cite, dreaming through dramas of his triumph and feeling pained at the fact that the stars made on his name by his resignation is about to be effaced.

He meets Paul Tigrol, one of the members of the Paris detective force, with whom he has worked, who calls his attention to the ill-omened appearance of the western sky where the sun is setting. Coquenil can see nothing ill in it, although Tigrol reminds him that the sky bore the appearance of the western sky where the sun is setting. Coquenil can see nothing ill in it, although Tigrol reminds him that the sky bore the same appearance on the evening of the murder of two women in the Rue Montaigne, a few years before. He tells Tigrol to come to his house at 9 o'clock that night and he will tell him some news.

He then proceeds on his way toward the Cathedral of Notre Dame. He calls for the sacristan, Bilili, whom he intends to leave his dog, Cæsar, his companion in his stroll. He tells Bourrion, the sacristan, that he is going to Brazil, and that he means to take his dog with him. Bourrion is affected at the news. He has a regard for Coquenil and says that he will also miss the dog, the guardian of the church at night. He leaves Coquenil outside while he takes Cæsar inside the church. He intends to return at once to the detective, but forgets it, and, impatient at his tardiness, enters the church.

Near the statue of the Virgin he sees a girl at the table where wearers, talismans and other holy objects were placed for sale.

While he is looking at her the girl lances upon him at the sight of him, and then, as Coquenil approaches her, she talks earnestly to him in a low tone.

The encounter is a short one, less than five minutes in duration. Then the girl leaves the church in charge of a lay assistant of the sacristan, whom Coquenil notices as the same man who entered the church. Coquenil goes out a worn, depressed man, almost haggard in appearance.

Bourrion meets him at the door and endeavors to continue his conversation, but he is waved aside by Coquenil, who hurries down the steps to the Seine. The sacristan asks where he is to find Cæsar, and the detective tells him to keep him with him at all times.

Alone, the girl who held such an earnest conversation with the great detective is pursuing another course. She immediately detects traces of sadness in the girl's countenance. He seeks to console her and finally has her to be happy. He tells her he has come to Paris and explained that she was the young man of twenty-seven she in that gay capital. He tells her that

Constance Zerrahn, First of Debutantes to Make Formal Bow in Society

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

First of all the season's buds to make her formal bow to society is Miss Constance Zerrahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zerrahn of Milton. Invitations have already gone out for the reception and tea to be given at "Overbrook," the beautiful country estate of the Zerrahns on Saturday afternoon, October 16, from 4 until 6 o'clock.

Miss Zerrahn, who is a grand-daughter of the great musician, Carl Zerrahn, has spent the greater part of her life in Germany and is beautifully educated, brilliant and accomplished. Her popularity was evidenced some time ago by the fact that she was one of the first of the season's debutantes noted into the Sewing Circle and the Vincent Club. She bids fair to be even as great a belle as was her mother during the years she was Constance Whitney.

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Another interesting event on the 16th for which cards have already been issued is that of the marriage of Miss Nancy Graves and Samuel Cabot which will be solemnized at St. Paul's Church in New Bury street. Miss Graves is a member of the Vincent Club and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Pike Graves of Buenos Ayres, South America. From these the invitations for the wedding came.

Mr. and Mrs. Graves, who have not been in Boston for some time, though their period of dignified retirement has been spending the past Winter and Summer with her relatives here, are expected to return for the happy event. Following the ceremony there will be a reception and breakfast at the attractive home of Mrs. Charles French Perry, an aunt of Miss Graves with whom she has been making her home.

Mr. Cabot is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cabot of Commonwealth avenue. He is a Harvard man and a member of nearly all the prominent clubs in town.

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Much interest is felt here in the wedding in Utica, N. Y., today, of Miss Eleanor Miller and Richard L. Sherman, a son of the Vice-President and Mrs. James S. Sherman.

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Miss Phyllis Abbott, daughter of Professor Nathan Abbott of Columbia University, and John T. Bonner of Boston street, whose engagement was announced recently, are to be married in November. The wedding will take place in Europe, where Miss Abbott is spending some months. On their return from their wedding trip they will make their home in Southboro.

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A bridge party in the parlors of the Curtis Hotel in Lenox was the means of all the smart set in that section of the Berkshires yesterday. The party was given by Mrs. William I. Dayton, and after the wedding, at which Mrs. Dayton's only daughter, Miss Margaret Dayton, was the bride. Two hundred invitations were issued, a number of friends as a tea and reception.

Among the players were Mrs. S. Parkman Shaw, Mrs. John S. Barnes, Mrs. Joseph Buckins, Miss Helen Parish, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Chapman, Chandler Robbins, Mrs. John E. Alexander, Mrs. Daniel S. Torrance, Mrs. Franklin Osgood, Mrs. Ethel Brooks, Mrs. William Pollock and Miss Anna B. Shaw.

At the tea and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Dixey, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Fairfax, Mrs. Frederick Swan, Mrs. Ernest Crosby, Mrs. Robert Whitthrop and Mrs. Harry King.

Mrs. Pickens Lawrence, Miss Madeleine Lawrence, Robert Lawrence and Lawrence Houghton of Boston are visiting in Stockbridge this week. They are the guests of Mrs. Caroline T. Lawrence at her Sunset house there.

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Mrs. Grace S. Parker of Boston is in Stockbridge where she is the guest of Mrs. John Swann.

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Mrs. Ernest H. Pentecost (Marion Pierce of Witch Hill in Topsfield sails to-day on the Saxonia for England. She will join her husband, Captain Pentecost, in Liverpool.

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Among the Bostonians who have recently gone to the Berkshires for part of the Autumn are Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beal, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Thayer and Miss W. Hayden. They arrived yesterday and are all stopping at the Aspinwall Hotel.

Miss Gertrude Hayden has returned to town and is again at her home in Commonwealth street, the residence of her uncle, the late Colonel Stephen M. Crosby, who died recently at his Summer residence in Lakewest, where Miss Hayden was an usual spending the Summer with him.

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Former Governor and Mrs. Curtis Guild, Jr., sailed from Liverpool to-day for this port. They are on the Ivernia and will come direct to Boston. The Guilds have been abroad since the early part of the Summer. Curtis Guild, the elder, has returned from his shore home and is at his home on Mt. Vernon street with his family.

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Professor and Mrs. Sedgwick are at the Westminster in Copley Square, where they will probably spend the Winter. Others of the Westminster are Mrs. Manning and Miss Manning, the mother and sister of Mrs. George A. Gordon, of Boylston street.

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The Cohasset house show which was given on the grounds of Henry M. Whitney for charity this Summer netted $2,000 as a result of the function of the Summer colony.

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The wedding of Miss Ethel Herrick and Walbridge Taft, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walters Taft, and nephew of President Taft, will not take place until after his homecoming from his honeymoon trip. Mrs. William I. Dayton, and after the wedding, taking place in Europe, will entertain at a large number of friends at a tea and reception.

Among the players were Mrs. S. Parkman Shaw, Mrs. John S. Barnes, Mrs. Joseph Buckins, Miss Helen Parish, Mr. and

Up-to-Date Jokes

"Don't you like that quotation from Shakespeare, 'The friends thou hast and their adoption tried, grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel?'" he asked, soulfully.

"I think hoops of good would be better," said the hoops of steel girl, softly.

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Kind Old Lady stalking to a tramp—Have you ever made an effort to get work?

Tramp—Yes, ma'am. Last month I got work in two members of my family; but neither of them would take it.

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"You can't tell what sort of a cook a wife will make."

"And you can't tell what sort of a wife a cook will make, and there you are."

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The Lady Fare—You cannot clear me any more. I haven't ribbon in color for twenty-five years for nothing.

The Cabby (haven't you, mum? Well, you've done your best.

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Mrs. Fixem—I don't see what you see in Smith to rave about.

Mr. Fixem—It's what we don't find.

Poor Minerva

By KENNETT HARRIS

I.

DOT'S a frivolous chit,
But she's got one all going.
We don't like her a bit,
Dot's a frivolous chit,
But she's making a hit
With the only thing's showing.
Dot's a frivolous chit,
But she's got 'em all going.

II.

Poor Minerva has mind,
But she's wholly deserted,
You will realize why
Poor Minerva has mind.
She's the sensible kind,
And she never has flirted.
Poor Minerva has mind,
But she's wholly deserted.

III.

It is sad, is it not,
That the men are so silly?
They are crazy for Dot.
It is sad, is it not?
To Minerva the pot
Are decidedly chilly.
It is sad, is it not,
That the men are so silly?

NOTICE

To The Thousands Who Are Polishing Their Shoes With "Nugget"

DON'T use *too much* "Nugget." Don't spread it on thick as you would ordinary shoe polishes. Go by the directions on the bottom of the box, using "the smallest quantity possible." A tiny dab of "Nugget" produces a soft, lustrous sheen, impossible with the old style blacking. *More than a mere smear of* "Nugget" *is too much*, and you won't get the best results.

When you find how little of "Nugget" is required, how quick and easy it is to keep your shoes spick and span—when you find your shoes wearing and wearing and WEARING, then you will know indeed that to shine your own shoes with "Nugget"

"It's A Happy Habit"

"Nugget" Polishes and "Nugget" Kits (Polish, brush and finishing pad in a little box) are sold by dealers everywhere.

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Collier in New Play, Powers in Comedy and "3 Twins" Here

Three stage favorites who you applause last night.

With the distinct understanding that The Patriot" is a farce of the most farcical kind, one can be highly amused by William Collier in the new play which is at the Hollis Street Theatre. The production is having its first presentation in this city. Mr. Collier and J. Hartley Manners wrote it. The fun is concentrated mainly in the second act, where Mr. Collier, as Sir Arthur Pinkerton Alcock, has gone from the mining town of Bullfrog, Nevada, where he was "bossing" things, to London to see if he can qualify for the American property and for the select society of exclusively British.

His British relatives provide him with a companion as impeccable, comedian as a valet and guide. All Armitage hears is "Don't do this" and "Don't do that" with Gammon's very shadow makes him jump.

"Don't wear coats like that way," said Gainsford sadly.

"They are not coats, Armitage.

"They are not wearing them that way this season," said Gainsford, and so it goes, till Armitage finds himself letting his American ideas go, "like gold dust," they're not sitting down this season.

In the end Armitage shocks the whole British entire into the discard, goes back to Bullfrog, strikes gold and marries the mountain sweetheart.

The scenes in fact, the quips and quirks of Collier comedy are bright and snappy, and Mr. Collier is very well supported. The supporting company is good and the whole play is clean as a whistle.

Majestic.

"Hello, people," were you all at the Majestic last night? If you weren't you missed one of the brightest, funniest, prettiest acts than Reading has seen in a decade. James T. Powers is there, and although he is enough, he is not the only means. This without any offence to the gentleman, is the least part of the act. Favorite of Boston is surrounded by a host of clever people, and the result is to bring a college student to smile in his sleep, dreams last night and dream in his smiles to-day.

The entertainment is to the form of a dissolving comedy show. The theme of the music is by the composer of "Florodora," Leslie Stuart. The cast has been made up by George Grossmith, Jr. Graham Hill, James T. Powers, Miss Adelyn Rae and Miss Arthurs. Also, add Ned Wayburn, who staged it. The scenes are many and varied, there were three or four rows of people standing in the rear part of the stage floor. The play went with a merry dash as though the company were just getting away from the 8th parallel to the board society. From the rise of the curtain to the dramatic and artistic finale.

There is just enough plot in the piece to make a person wonder what is coming next without causing him to wrinkle his brow. Mr. Powers, as the hi-sam of the "Wasp," created a character which he has a wife that he didn't know by sight, and was arrested on a charge of which he was innocent, an opportunity he needed as a high-browser. Miss Lillian Beckwith was an exalted Cuban heiress and Miss Adelaide Mahone did some very clever dancing. The girls also sang "Hello, People." "Hello," are delightfully captivating. The whole performance is a delight to see.

At the close those who had to get to the North Station in a hurry made a very agreeable innovation in the presence of Sylvania, furnished for the occasion. They later were whirled through the city to their trains.

Boston.

The "Three Twins" was greeted last night at the Boston Theatre by a large and delighted audience which seemed unwilling to let the curtain to be rung down at the close of the performance. This tuneful musical comedy is being reproduced here for the first time. The play is one adapted by Charles Bickford from Mrs. R. Pacheco's farce, "Incog." The company presenting the piece is one unusually well balanced. Clifton Crawford and Bessie McCoy, of course, are the features.

The revision of Mrs. Pacheco's book has been artistically worked out and enough of the plot of the play is kept to be recognizable. The play is one in which certain talented figures as the excuse for the performance. Three "Comedians" appear in a laughable series of situations as the result of their being nearly alike in dress, appearance and voice.

The play, presented as it is by the original company, is here just following a run of a year in Chicago and a year in New York. Mr. Crawford and Miss McCoy were easily the two stars in the "Three Twins." But there are chances to try several other members of the company and no chance on the part of the audience was very fairly distributed. Daisy Leon, Della Niven and Joseph Cawthorn are also entitled to their capital and artistic work. The dances, the costumes and the ensembles, pretty chorus must be mentioned. The stage setting is striking and beautiful.

Keith's.

That closest of kin to a modern menage, Annette Kellermann, is chief among a host of attractions at Keith's. Her daring stunts in a diver captivate the audience and win for the graceful and accomplished swimmer frequent plaudits of the hearties.

Albert Whelan, from the other side of the globe, appears in an extremely clever monologue, many features of which are entirely new to Boston.

Charming everybody with her sweet-voiced mimicries, Belle Blanche makes a hit in the week's opening performance in her character sketches. Her stage favorites, while "prosy and Dayne in showing the way to "grace and opportunity," fetches the house into delightful humor.

Sarasa, a youthful violin prodigy from Europe, comes to Boston for the first time in a career which gives promise of success. Pat Rooney and Marion Bent, Will Ryan Sullivan and Charles Pasquelena, the Gartell Brothers and Arthur Cameron and the Four Allegro instrumentalists all contribute brilliant offerings to a well chosen week's bill of fare.

Castle Square.

After an absence of more than six months, at which time it completed a record-breaking run "The Circus Girl" is again being played at the Castle Square Theatre, and it proved just as popular as of yore. The Castle Square Light Opera Company is equal in every way to that given on its former run. There are the same beautiful stage settings and brilliant costumes, the jokes in dialogue and situation. The comedic story of Jimmie, the stock wire walker and her humorous Bingo, with the scenes of encounter with the Bowery King and the Terrible Turk, is just as funny as before.

There are more than sixty people in the cast. The chorus is one of the best ever assembled, and is pretty and graceful. Mary Young, as Lucille, the stock wire walker, is charming and vivacious as ever. The pantomime duet, with Mr. Craig, and her song, "A Little Piece of String," were rendered perfectly.

Mr. Craig's singing of "Now You Know the Way" was demanded over and over again, while Mr. Haswell as the inimitable imitation of an English lord out on a lark, and Miss Wilfred and Mary Young, two newcomers, acquitted themselves with great credit in the second act.

American Music Hall.

Diving twenty or twenty-five feet from a springboard into a shallow tank on the stage looks easy when the "Divine Myrna" does it, while Mr. Haswell in an

REAL ESTATE TRADE SHOWS FIRM TREND

Though no real estate deal of extraordinary size was put through today, considerable property of unique character was sold throughout the city and suburbs.

The three-story and basement wood front brick house and 2,205 square feet of land at No. 9 Hewett park, near Columbus avenue, South End, have been sold by Simon Bernard to Elias S. Dale. The property is assessed on a total valuation of $8,100, of which $3,100 is on the land.

Patrick F. Ford has sold to William C. Codman, jr., et al, trustees, the three and one-half-story brick house and 930 square feet of land, assessed for a total of $7,600, at No. 56 Ward street, south of Roxbury street, Boston Hill district. The land is rated for $3,000.

In the South End Joseph Sanborn, trustee, has sold Annie Sanborn Hall et al. No. 1 West Dedham street, at No. 2 Northampton street, the three-story brick building and 1,650 square feet of land, assessed for a total valuation of $8,000, of which $2,850 is on the land. Joseph Sanborn, trustee, has sold Annie Sanborn Hall et al. land, assessed for a total valuation of $8,100, at No. 28 Monmouth square, corner of Concord street, Charlestown district, rated for $3,000.

In East Boston Trinity Association has sold to the Boston Chapel and Farther Endowment of 40,000 square feet of land on West Milton street, Dorchester district, rated for $1,000. Charles Sumner Bird has sold to Annie Sanborn Hall et al. property on Bird street, Dorchester district.

In the same district Annie E. Hall et al. have sold to Homer C. Sweetser, jr., No. 1 and 2 Hall street, and No. 1 Wilson court, assessed for a total valuation of $5,000, of which $2,100 is on the land.

In Dorchester, Hannah G. Bangs et al. have sold to Augustus H. Bangs the land and 6,518 square feet of land at No. 26 Nightingale street, assessed for a total valuation of $7,500, of which $2,500 is on the land. Augustus H. Bangs has sold to Hannah G. Bangs et al. land and building 5,965 square feet of land, rated for $1,200, also on Nightingale street, and Bernard street, the latter.

John J. Wills has disposed of to John C. Sullivan et ux. the frame house and 2,440 square feet of land, all assessed for $4,900, at No. 8 Argyle park, formerly Bowen avenue, Dorchester. The land has been rated for $1,000.

Mary Hayes Ford has sold to Henry Heminge the three-story and basement brick house and No. 69 Bennet Hill street, near Hillsdale street, Roxbury, with 2,750 square feet of land, assessed at $3,300, of which $1,300 is on the land.

In Dorchester Daniel F. Donoghue has sold to Mary A. Dwyer the frame house and 5,000 square feet of land at No. 26 Hollis street, Dorchester, assessed on a total valuation of $2,000, of which $700 is on the land.

Mary A. Dwyer has sold to Daniel F. Donoghue 5,720 square feet, and fixed for $2,000, on Hollis street, near Talbot avenue, Dorchester. Richard C. Humphreys et al., trustees to Mary C. Duff.

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DOUBLE STAMPS Wednesday And Friday Afternoons

BUY Brine's BARGAINS

Mrs. Gilbert Attacks Ousted Science Leader

Leader of "Reform Move" in Christian Science, Who Declares Mrs. Stetson Considers Marriage Is a Sin.

Mrs. Delia Gilbert.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—"Mrs. Stetson's target that the marriage state is sinful and should be abolished is the cause of her being deposed by the Christian Science Church."

Such was the declaration made today by Mrs. Delia Gilbert, in her apartment at the Hotel Gotham. She is the leader of what she terms the "reform movement" in Christian Science, and will open a church in the Hotel Gotham ballroom next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Stetson has been the real leader of the church for the last ten years," continued Mrs. Gilbert. "She has founded a hundred churches through her students, and they are spreading her views everywhere. During this altercation, however, she will be subsidiary. It is her role to be meek and humble. If she becomes aggressive, she would instantly lose much of her power."

Blinded by Ambition.

"As it is, she is waning in strength. She is no longer fit. Ambition has blinded her to the truth and she has given out false teachings.

"Some of her followers will not go into a house where there is a baby.

"What! Enter a house of sin?' they exclaim.

"Mrs. Stetson says that a child is a subdivision of moral thought.

"But, bless you, I have many dear children. But does she believe for a minute that she is a mere sub-division? Indeed, no.

"In the First Church everything is done to discourage marriage among the younger people. When young people do have the backbone to defy the teachings and get married, the congregation puts the thought of sin on them. And these poor young things cannot hold their heads up in shame. I know a large number who have gone to other churches to escape the humiliation.

"I constantly have letters from prominent men and women hearing

to stop the tide against marriage. I know of a hundred cases of women separating from their husbands and husbands leaving their wives. Mrs. Stetson's ideas are destroying homes.

"One man directed my attention to the great number of separations and divorces that resulted in Kenwood, a suburb near Chicago, after some of her disciples had founded a church there.

"Another woman wrote and asked me to spread the idea that it was not right to bring children into the world.

"'Why,' said she, 'you are wrecking the very cornerstone of our faith if you teach that it is.'

"That is but a very ordinary example of the injury that Mrs. Stetson is doing.

"This is what she tells her students: 'Marriage is a state meant to go into a condition of sin and bring out the false religion of father, mother and child. Thus counterfeiting the real creation of life, truth and love. Do not see any sense in that? I don't.

"It means, in effect, that we are to have no people with human bodies in the world, merely men and women in spirit. She is preaching world-wide celibacy.

Meaning of Her Removal.

"While her students have been preaching this high spiritual plane some curious things happened. The directors of the church said that her doctrines failed to supply the needs of human life. That is what they meant when they refer to her lowering the moral tone of the church.

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"I was blocked in trying to found a branch church in the Plaza Hotel and was excommunicated. And now several influential persons have started this church in the Hotel Gotham for me.

"I shall try to show the absurdity of malicious animal magnetism. M. A. M., they call it in the Mother Church."

LITTLE JOHNNY JONES IS JUST 9.6 YEARS OLD; 9 DAYS' WONDER ENDED

Well, Little Johnny Jones's age has been the baffler going too much occupied has determined. He is just 9.6 years old. If, dling with your wretched question. He is impossible to figure just how many I telephoned me and made anecdotes all months and days he has passed since his morning. Father, who figures gas bills for seventh birthday anniversary, because he the interest of the gas company and is a boggled so to tell his teacher in what month simple life calculator, gained much praise he was born, but his age can be expressed for his efforts. He worked right out with accurately as 7 years and 210 days. correct answer for you without the aid of

The problem, which was published in Algebra or such stuff, as Percy calls it, the AMERICAN about two weeks ago, has in manufacturing his North Pole ob-set all the mathematicians and highbrows servations.

at work, and the bushels of letters which As your problem involves the ages have been received by the Johnny Jones of women, it has caused more or less Editor give evidence of the wide-spread in- study sighs to be exhaled and both forth terest in the young man's age. between the father set, which, of course, in-

Little Johnny has been a nine days' wonder duced the mother to ask a question. Then a question like this. Now for the clear solution of your problem, eliminating almost entirely the mathematical stuff which has really worried so many readers, and giving to you just as father gave it to us a few minutes ago, as follows:

The problem is:

When the teacher asked Little Johnny Jones his age, he replied:

"When I was born my sister was one-quarter the age of mother. Sister is now one-third as old as father and in just one year's time I shall be one-half my mother's age. In four years I shall be one-third as old as father."

Many different methods of figuring out Johnny's age developed during the contest. It was notable that nearly all the high school students who answered the problem solved it by algebra, and fully three-fourths of these gave correct answers.

All in the Family.

Others resorted to ratios, others plain arithmetic. One young man wrote in that he knew just how old Johnny is because he himself is the same age and happened to have parents and a sister who came the same ages as Johnny's family.

Perhaps the most carefully stated result received is the following, though the young man does not give his method of solution:

Editor Johnny Jones Contest:

It is with a great feeling of pleasure that I relieve you of discerning the age of poor little Johnny.

His mother's age is 28½ years, sister 16.8 years, father 50.4 years, and lastly Johnny is 9.6 years. And four years hence Johnny's father would be 54.4 years, while Johnny would be 12.6 years, or exactly one-quarter as old as his father.

JOHNNY J. AYERS.

310 Shawmut Bank Bldg., Boston.

Another interesting answer is:

Editor Johnny Jones Contest:

Your "Johnny" problem has stuck all the teachers in my school, and at noon today we went without meat on account of

Ignore Women's Ages.

First, the problem is: "When I was born my sister was one-quarter the age of mother. Sister is now one-third as old as father and in just one year's time I shall be one-quarter as old as mother."

Why not leave out the ages of women, as they are always unknown?

Father, 50.4 years; 14 times Johnny's age.

Mother's age, 4 times Johnny's.

Sister, 16.8 years; one-third of father's.

Johnny's, 9.6 years.

In solving this proof is for you, father courteously ignored entirely the ages of the women and advised us from a standpoint of necessary and cooking to drop the fractions, although he explained, he dropped nothing in figuring his gas bills to the consumers.

Yours truly,

VOLNEY MAYEWARE.

TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS; LATEST FINANCIAL NEWS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

Steel has frightened professionals and set the bears to work at a new attempt to break the market. They adopted an ancient method which proved somewhat effective for a few minutes. They circulated rumors that the trust would issue about $75,000,000 of bonds and would retire about $1,000,000 of common stock. Nothing of the kind is contemplated by the trust. The idea of the bears was to excite the public with something that they knew would prove false and create disappointment when it failed to come true, as they knew it would. Official denials of these rumors were issued by the trust, and it is doubtful whether they had any permanent influence on the market. Steel is advancing because of earnings, and nothing more is necessary to account for the present price. The dividend is to be increased this month and again in January, if some great disaster does not overwhelm it in the country.

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New York Central has made a statement of earnings for August that surprised the Street with its very positive goodness. The gross operating revenue for all lines increased $2,412,271. There were plenty of reasons for all the comments, and State Street immediately bought N. Y. Central. The stocks purchased by E. H. Harriman for the Union Pacific has not been finished probably before the end of the month. The supply of Central on the market is relatively small.

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London has reasons for selling stock because it must provide $100,000,000 more per capita this year than it has ever done. The necessity of paying fancy prices for American necessities will compel the Bank of England to increase its minimum discount rate this week, in the opinion of the shrewd International financiers. Russia has gotten the gobi from South Africa and England is in sight. Germany must accumulate more ready money immediately.

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Professionals, watching the condition of the Bank of England, and following the lead of London traders, are selling stocks. They forget that London is always perhaps as much as 200,000 shares of Steel behind on calls that do not expire before the end of the year. London has also sold many thousand shares of calls on Union Pacific, and these will have to be repurchased with severe loss. Southern Pacific and Reading are the insiders of the Harriman outfit as a seven per cent. stock, although that rate has not been actually declared yet. There is some slight chance that it will be announced at the next directors' meeting, but no certainty until the first dividend meeting of 1910.

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St. Paul is almost to the high record price of recent weeks. The insiders are not selling it, but they are not buying. It may pass around a few slices of it although they are heavily interested in the stock, and something extra is necessary to support their own personal market position. All the Street needs is to have just one of its bright dreams come true to boom the whole list. St. Paul promises to furnish the reality.

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Interest in the annual report of the Atchison naturally centers, in State street at least, upon whatever bearing the report may have upon the pending question of the dividend rate, to be decided during this week. The fact that within less than two years after the extremely severe general depression of 1907 the road is able to report a divisible surplus practically up to its best of past years, and this despite the lowness of much of the territory it serves and the essentially pioneering character of most of its extension work, deserves more serious attention from investors and the financial community than it is likely to receive. If in 1907-8 the road had been controlled by a management less determined to carry forward the improvement of its physical condition, no doubt one or two times in preparation for the swelling the floating traffic that was sure to return, a much better percentage on the common stock could and would have been shown. But the policy of the company's usual scale of making the company's usual scale of making betterments was adhered to and the extraordinary cost was carried to completion in the face of the financial storm. Hence the comparatively great loss of surplus revenues and apparent insecurity of the common dividend. A year ago, before the remarkable recovery of surplus earnings lost in 1907-8, a rate of eight per cent on common stock was advanced in the Fall of 1906 to 5 per cent., and in the Spring of 1907 to 6 per cent. The dividend rate might easily have been maintained. The Illinois Central directors maintained a 6 per cent. dividend rate that was not earned, as an expression of their faith in the country's future. The Atchison directors expressed their faith by continuing without interrupted the company's provision for the normal growth of the communities it serves and considered it the part of discretion to reduce dividend payments. Now, at the price, they are reported to be minded to restore the dividend rate to 6 per cent. this month. The Atchison directors have before them not only the fact that the road is earning more than twice the proposed disbursements on its common stock, but that, judging from the earnings of the last two extraordinarily prosperous twelve months, there will be an ample margin over the requirements of a 6 per cent. rate, even after the higher rate has caused the conversion of the present convertible bonds into stock.

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of Prices 5 to 10 a. m. to 12 m.			
	High.	Low.	Last.
Acme Consol.	9c	9c	9c
Ariz. Globe	32c	32c	32c
Boston Ely	1 11-16	1 11-16	1 11-16
Boston & London	6c	6c	6c
Cumberland	16c	15c	15c
Cum. Ely Cop.	9 1-16	7½	7½
Cumo	8c	8c	8c
Davis-Daly	99c	99c	99c
Equitable Min.	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
Eagle Bird	5 15-16	5 15-16	5 15-16
Ely Consol.	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
Ely Central	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
Ely Mines	1c	1c	1c
First Nat'l Copper	6½	6½	6½
Giroux	6c	6c	6c
International Nickel	25c	25c	25c
Majestic	2c	2c	2c
Nat'l Lead	62	61	62
Nat'l Lead pf.	92	92	92
Ohio Copper	1 9-16	1 9-16	1 9-16
Rhode Min.	12c	12c	12c
R. I. Coal	11½	11½	11½
R. I. Coal pf.	35	35	35
Wilbur	10c	10c	10c
Yukon	5¾	5¾	5 3-16

WILLET

WE KNOW WILLET

Our advice on this Cobalt silver stock has been right. There has never been a moment but this stock has shown our clients a profit. In August WILLET was selling at 15 cents, we said buy it for an immediate rise. We said it would at least go to its former price of 20 cents. We did not expect so sensational a rise, however, as the stock has had on the Toronto buying. We believe this week WILLET will touch 50 cents and is good for $1.00. Buy at present prices. Get in under 50 cents if possible. At yesterday's market $780.00 buys one thousand shares. Wire or telephone your instructions.

Auerbach, Maokenzie & Co.

53 STATE STREET

Phones: 7140 Main, 3486 Main

BUYING ORDERS LIFT UP STOCKS

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—London was a seller of American stocks in Wall street today. While offerings were not heavy they were chiefly in Union Pacific, Atchison and Steel and sufficed to cause an irregular opening. Following the beginning of trading buying orders on a large scale made their appearance in New York Central, Southern Pacific and Steel, Central was a leader and rose 1¾ points to 139¾.

The loss of about a point recorded in Steel at the opening was wiped out in the buying movement and replaced with a fractional gain. Erie rose a point as did Canadian Pacific. Specialties were heavy. Republic Iron & Steel declining a point, and St. Louis & Southwestern preferred and common also fell. Central Leather was fractionally lower on profit taking.

Toward the end of the first hour a prominent Boston operator announced that he would expose the secrets to-day of the advance in Steel. Announcement was also made that the local banks had lost about $2,500,000 to the sub-treasury since Friday, thus indicating that the bank statement this week would probably show another large decrease in surplus reserve.

Following these announcements, heavy selling of Steel developed and blocks of from 1,000 to 2,000 shares changed hands rapidly.

Under this heavy selling pressure Steel common declined three points and unsettled the balance of the list. Union Pacific declined two points, Reading one and a half points, Southern Pacific two points, St. Paul 2 points and Pennsylvania 1½ points. Other stocks made proportionate declines.

American shares were heavy in London on the New York early market decline. Subway held steady at 74½, while mining shares were not materially changed. As the general list receded the low level supporting orders were put under Steel that caused an advance of a point from that figure. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and St. Paul were also supported.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.....	124½	123¾	124¼
Balt. & Ohio.....	118¾	118	118
Brooklyn Rap. Tr....	81¼	80	80¼
Canadian Pacific....	189¾	188¼	188¾
Ches. & Ohio.....	88¾	87½	87¾
Chic., M. & St. P....	162¾	161	162
Chic. & N. W.....	192	191	191
Denver & Rio G.....	46	45¾	45¾
Erie.....	34¾	33¾	34¼
Erie 1st pfd.....	49¾	49¼	49¾
Gt. Northern pfd....	133¾	133	133¾
Gt. Northern ore....	45¼	45	45¼
Int.-Met. pfd.....	49¼	48¾	49
Ill. Central.....	143¾	143	143¾
Mo., Kan. & Tex.....	40¾	40	40¾
Missouri Pac.....	69	68	68
N. Y. C. & Hud.....	139½	138¾	139¾
N. Y., Ont. & W.....	49¾	48¾	49¼
Norfolk & West.....	95	95	95
Northern Pac.....	156¾	155¾	156¼
Pennsylvania.....	149¾	148	148¾
Reading.....	169¾	167¾	167¾
Rock Island.....	28¾	28¼	28¼
Rock Island pf.....	76¾	75¾	75¾
Southern Pac.....	122¾	121	121¾
Southern Ry.....	29¾	29¼	29¼
Texas & Pacific.....	25	25	25
Union Pacific.....	208¾	206	206¾
Union Pacific pf....	107¾	106¾	106¾
Wabash.....	19¼	19¼	19¼
Wabash pf.....	39	39	39
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper.....	82¾	82¼	82¾
Am. Car & Fdy.....	69¾	68¾	68¾
Am. Cotton Oil.....	75¼	74¾	74¾
Amer. Locomo.....	61	60½	60½
Amer. Sm. & R.....	99¾	98¾	98¾
Am. Sug. Ref.....	134¾	134¾	134¾
Am. Beet Sug.....	48	47¾	47¾
Amer. Woolen.....	28¾	28	28
Anaconda Cop.....	48¾	48¼	48¼
Col. Fuel & Iron....	45¾	45¾	45¾
Con. Gas (N. Y.)....	143¾	141¾	142
Distill. Secur.....	37¾	37	37
Gen. Electric.....	148	147¾	147¾
National Lead.....	90	89¼	89¼
Pacific Coast.....	83	82½	82½
Pacific Mail.....	56	56	56
People's Gas.....	115¾	114¾	114¾
Pres. T. & Steel....	47¾	45½	46
Rep. I. & Steel pf....	106¾	106¾	106¾
Rubber.....	52¾	52	52¼
U. S. Rub. 1st pf....	121	121	121
U. S. Steel.....	94¾	90¼	92¾
U. S. Steel pf.....	130	128¾	129¾
Utah Copper.....	49	49	49
West. Un. Tel.....	78½	78½	78¾
West. El. & Mfg....	87	87	87

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon of leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated.....	120	119½	120
Boston & Maine.....	140½	140½	140½
N. Y., N. H. & H....	172	172	172
LAND COMPANIES.			
East Boston.....	10¾	10½	10½
TELEPHONES.			
America.....	143½	143	143
New England.....	137	137	137
MINING STOCKS.			
Adventure.....	6¾	6¾	6¾
Arcadian.....	4¾	4¾	4¾
Arizona Com.....	46	46	46
Atlantic.....	8¾	8¾	8¾
Bonanza.....	2¾	2¾	2¾
Calumet & Arizona....	103½	103	103
Calumet & Hecla.....	670	670	670
Copper Range.....	80¾	80	80
Franklin.....	24¾	24¾	24¾
Granby.....	95	95	95
Greene-Cananea.....	104½	104½	104½
La Salle Copper.....	15	15	15
Michigan.....	10¼	10¼	10¼
Nevada Con.....	24¼	24¼	24¼
North Butte.....	61¾	61	61¾
Quincy.....	89	89	89
Shannon.....	16¼	16	16
Wolverine.....	150	150	150
MISCELLANEOUS.			
American Pneumatic..	9	8¾	8¾
Am. Tobacco pf.....	94	94	94
Mass. Gas.....	90	90	90
Mex. Nat'l Con.....	14¼	14¼	14¼
United Fruit.....	158½	158½	158¾
United Shoe Mach....	68¾	68	68
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated.....	83¾	82¾	82¾
Am. Agric. Chem.....	45	45	45
Am. Woolen pf.....	104	104	104
Am. Zinc.....	34¾	34¼	34¼
Boston & Corbin	21¾	21¾	21¾
Lake Copper.....	24¾	24¾	24¾
Lake Copper	28¾	27	28¾
Miami Copper	25¾	25¼	25¼
Swift & Co.....	100¾	100¼	100¼
U. S. Smelting	57¾	57¼	57¼
U. S. Smelting pf....	53¾	53¼	53¼

LAKE COPPER STOCK IS UP

STATE STREET, Oct. 5.—The sharp drive in Steel common in which the price broke over 5 points in this market and still more in New York, did little harm to the local market, but it deferred a nice little boom in copper shares. Word came to-day that the Lake Jole has been cut at the fifth level at the Lake Copper property and that it was found rich. This announcement had been awaited for a month or more and is of great importance.

As a result Lake Copper stock shot up 1½ points to 28¾, which is its record price, but under pressure it settled to 27¾ again. Gay was the principal purchaser of the stock on Western buying. Amalgamated fell a point to 82¾ on arbitrage dealings.

The break in Steel, although severe for the short time in which it occurred, is considered a good thing and is valued as the price has gone up pretty rapidly. Mr. Lawson's promise to issue a statement showing the Steel crime, as he calls it, proved an unsettling factor and caused stop loss orders to be reached. From the low point recovered to 92¾.

Copper shares did little this forenoon and slight declines were the rule in the early part of the day. Not an inspiring factor is that Lake Copper brought an average price of ten 12.21 cents per pound for the month of September. Two months of this year, March and April, the average price was below 13 cents. Electrolytic copper's average price for September was 12.87 cents per pound and left one month this year below the average price given below this. In April it was 12.56 cents.

Curb trading was light and changes were of no importance. The tone was heavy.

Lake Copper, which opened at 29 cents for 50 shares, but immediately fell to 28 cents.

Who was Henry Hudson?

Married or Single
English or Dutch
God - Fearing or Dissolute
Gentleman or Wharf-rat

?

Brave or Timid
Old or Young
Experienced or Incompetent
Educated or Ignorant

?

"There is nowhere any painted picture, nowhere any written description, of Hudson by which any one may say whether he was fair or dark, heavy or slight, tall or short, old or young, violent or mild, strong or feeble, cruel or tender, fine or rough," says ALFRED HENRY LEWIS in the NOVEMBER COSMOPOLITAN.

A cameo-like history of this wonderful adventurer—a drawing back of the curtain that has cloaked his career in mystery and uncertainty, and a revelation to you who wonder at the magnitude and gorgeousness of the

Hudson-Fulton Celebration

Read this admirable sketch, "*Hudson's Farthest West,*" and know as much as any man will ever know of the strange spirit who gave name to the mighty river at your doors.

The introduction is by JONKHEER J. LOUDON, Minister from the Netherlands.

In the November COSMOPOLITAN

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HILTON CO. TO ENLARGE BIG STORE

The business done by the Hilton Company at its store at the corner of Temple place and Washington street shows how quickly the Boston public is attracted to high class clothing when offered at a popular price consistent with quality. The Hilton Company recently established its branch in the city, and its trade has already grown so large it has been considered to arrange to enlarge its premises. Extensive improvements are soon to be made in its Boston store, which is already one of the most attractive in the city.

The stock displayed there at once gains the attention of fashion-lovers by the latter's love of high class, by the styles and the Hilton Company's challenges comparison. The clothing of the house is decidedly distinctive, of a medium in a degree and has the fine finish which adds no small charm to the garment at a moderate. Durability is another feature that The Hilton Company strives to build, for is its aim to produce clothing which will wear well and look well to the last.

The show windows are among the most attractive seen in the city. The interior is furnished with the latest patterns and fixtures, and there is a liberal display of fine glass mirrors throughout the entire establishment. The force is such that which will aid a patron in making a satisfactory selection of garments.

The corps of salesmen is large and the eliminates any tiresome waiting on the part of customers. Prompt attention is a feature of the Hilton Company's service.

When improvements are finished there will be 7,500 more square feet at the disposal of the business. The new space will bear is practically a three-floor store in the Blake Building. Elevators will be installed connecting the two buildings and will be a feature. The Hilton Company has signed its several leading rides.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST

SEPT. 1, on N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. 175 in train from Boston to Providence, vest with name of owner on inside pocket. Finder please return to 1 Boston Avenue.

LOST—Dark brown Boston bull terrier, answers to name of Jack; 2 pointed scars on forehead between nostrils and eyebrows; white between nostrils and eyebrows; white between forelegs and white tip on tail. Reward if returned to 1 Mt. Vernon st.

LOST—Sunday evening, Oct. 5, between North Woburn and Lowell, a pair of gold eyeglasses. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 41 Winchester st., Woburn.

LOST—On, 4, diamond brooch on train between Boston and Lowell or on platform between South Station and Andover. Boston. Reward if returned to 92 Pinckney st.

LOST—Back Bay, Monday morning, Boston Herald, no name. Finder please return to office. Reward.

LOST—Lady's open faced watch, monogram J. G. A., fine do for use in S. Station, Sunday P. M. Reward. A. GOLDSMITH, Hotel Touraine.

Special Announcements.

COOKING SCHOOL for gentlemen. 5 FIELDCAMP, 11 Temple place, Boston.

BOARD AND ROOM before and during confinement; new Eau Fifth avenue flats. Roxbury. MRS. BIRDSEY.

BOARD AND ROOM before and during confinement; references required. Nurse, 24 Union st., Newton, N. H.

1,000 BUSINESS CARDS, \$1.50; also all kinds of printing. BRIEF PRESS, 81 Leverett st.

Male Help Wanted.

CARRIAGE and automobile body builders wanted; also trimmers. D. F. NICHOLS & CO., 17 Edgerly pl., Boston.

ENGINEERS AND FIREMEN instructed for license; complete STATE STEAM ENGINEERING Course. HOLMES SCHOOL, 1 Somerset st., Boston. Send for circular.

LAUNDRIES wanted to submit mail from carriers; send for free sample. MORRIS LITHOGRAPH MFG. CO., Chelsea, Mass.

MEN wanted to learn plumbing; steady work; good wages; paid while learning; no apprentices; 875 to 900 monthly; promoted to outside work; 3 months' course; day and evening classes; send stamp. RAILWAY ASSOCIATION, Cure 2, Rox., Boston.

PAINTERS' UNION NO. 11—Election of delegates to national convention will be held Sept. 14. Hall with Memorial building.

PLUMBER wanted at once. Apply A. F. BONNEY, 1629 Beacon st., Brookline.

WANTED—Able bodied men for the U. S. Marine Corps, between the ages of 19 and 35; need no experience; pay or clothing, \$15 to \$20; \$15 to \$30; additional compensation possible; food, clothing, medical attendance and quarters; after 30 years' service can retire with 75 per cent. of pay; if you are ambitious and want to get ahead call at 10 Post Office Sq., 3d floor. Apply at 25 Court st., Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required; salary guaranteed; catalogue free. MOLER BARBER COLLEGE, 370 Washington st., Boston. Also in all summer cities; steady work. Apply to G. GIGO, 38 Bromfield st., Boston, room 22.

WANTED—Two good lime burners. Steady work and good pay for men who understand the business. Apply to WM. LOUPE CO., Lyd., South Acton, Mass.

WANTED—Experienced cutter on rubber clothing. Apply to CLIFTON MFG. CO., 65 Brookline st., Cambridgeport.

WANTED—Two strong boys, 16 to 18 years of age, willing to work; steady work and good advancement. Apply 81 Sudbury st.

WANTED—Boy to run errands at once. Apply GREENE & CO., 721 Main st., Chelsea.

WANTED—Boy to learn the printing trade. WEBSTER ALLEN, 24 Warren st., Roxbury.

WANTED—Painters at new residence. Hollingsworth Road, Malden.

Male Miscellaneous.

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THE MOST thorough course in Boston; complete instruction in driving, look up our cars are especially suggested for learning; took up our cars are especially suggested for learning; took up our cars are especially suggested for learning; took

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Capping the Climax of Wonders

Recent news from astronomical observations tends to confirm the belief that the planet Mars is a living world.

Such news suggests the startling possibility that the year of the aeroplane and the great Polar exploits may turn out to be also the year of the demonstration of interplanetary life.

The comparative neighborliness of the Martian planet at this moment—a proximity that will not be repeated for fifteen years—sharpens the edge of expectation.

It is a long way, of course, from the proof of the possibility to that of the actuality of life on Mars! And a still longer reach to the demonstration of the existence of a life that can be called human. Yet it is not improbable that the last disclosure may come as soon as the first.

And certainly no sensation of explorers or discoverers heretofore experienced upon earth can equal the thrill that will come to us when we shall make sure that beings like ourselves are making signs to us from another world!

People who cultivate a habit of incredulity, in the name of science, or of cynicism, scoff at the confidence of Professors Lowell, Todd, Campbell and other investigators, who expect to prove that the neighboring planet is not wholly unlike our own.

But, in truth, it is more reasonable to suppose that Mars is—or has been—inhabited by rational beings than to suppose the contrary.

For who can suggest a reason why life should play so large a part in the evolution of the earth and no part at all in the development of other worlds?

And if here on this planet life rises, by an irresistible law, to high consciousness and the power of thought, why should it not do as much on other planets?

And it is to be noted, too, that life seems to be a force that expands and finds ways of embodying and expressing itself under the greatest conceivable variety of physical conditions.

Thus the mere fact that Mars is colder than the earth, its air thinner or its gravitation less, is nothing against the existence of a high kind of life on that planet, though it may be vastly different from ours in physical constitution.

We should therefore treat with respect and some degree of expectation the recent news from the astronomers of the Lick Observatory, reporting from their star-gazing expedition to Mount Whitney, that Mars has an atmosphere.

And Professors Percival Lowell and Frank Verey, exploring the Martian poles through the great telescope at Flagstaff, Arizona, and discovering what they take to be signs of a vast planetary scheme of irrigation, deserve as much attention as other Polar explorers.

For we can harvest as good crops on the Martian poles as on our own.

THE MESSAGE OF BOTH IS TO THE SPIRIT AND THE INTELLECT.

The Financial Opportunities of Mr. Morse

We are expected to admire the diligent industry of Mr. Charles W. Morse—who is out on bail, though standing under sentence of fifteen years' imprisonment in New York City, and who has "made" seven and a half millions in four months—but we don't.

We admire, instead, the wonderful confraternity of capital.

Mr. Morse was convicted of a shameful crime, but the gilded freemasonry to which he belongs does not draw back its skirts in pharisaic pride—IT STANDS BY HIM.

For the honor of the order, it bestows upon him its Midas-magic, so that everything he touches turns to gold.

The millions that are falling into the empty and discredited coffers of Charles W. Morse furnish no warrant of encouragement to the diligence and industry of average men.

Those who hold no membership in the ORDER OF EXTRAORDINARY OPPORTUNITIES will find it all the harder to pay their debts because Mr. Morse finds it so easy.

The story of the auriferous exploits of this great convict should shock us into an understanding of the undemocratic difference of opportunity that lies between those that belong to the Close Communion of Capital and those that don't.

EDITORIAL POINTS

Aeroplanes haven't yet reached the settledness of schedule time.

Diamonds are in great demand, say the dealers. So is money.

Moors and Spaniards are fighting for a place called Gurugu. Wonder why.

The Polar plot thickens.

Now that George Ade, Booth Tarkington, James Whitcomb Riley and George Gill are thinking of moving away from Indiana, it may be suggested to Harry Thaw that, in the event of his release from Matteawan, the Hoosier State might give him a warm welcome. Literature out there is waning.

Meantime Oyster Bay just isn't saying anything just layin' low, like Br'er Rabbit. But wait.

But why were orbie tells wasted in the statement that Colonel Roosevelt longed for home, and that he was to come back during the Winter instead of waiting till Spring?

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

PAID ONCE A MONTH

Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN:

I am one of the many railroad clerks compelled to work thirty days in the month for our salaries. I also be call your attention to the manner in which a certain railroad and steamship company in this city pay off their help.

The auditing department employees are paid on the 15th and again on the 30th or 31st of the month. The general office and claim department employees, who draw smaller salaries, are paid but once a month.

H. E. Z.

TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN EDITORIALS

Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN:

Every day the thought has come to me after reading what you say that I will take the time to write a word of praise for your work, and then straightway get to my office, in a moment absorbed in business, regret never having compiled with the heart's desire. Well, now, thank you for frankness, right, fearlessness, honest, straightforward, right-from-the-shoulder, plain, comprehensive statements—food for thought. It seems impossible for one man to think out what to say and keep that inner wonder as well put together that moves will read, compelling attention. That's it.

Nay, I and spare you to so many readers to get at the heart of your valuable paper.

E. R.

WE LIKE HIM PRETTY WELL, TOO

Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN:

Who is James J. Montague? For months he has been writing the aptest kind of smoothly flowing rhymes on current events, with a rhythm as musical as that of "Uncle Rufus" or quotable poems, but never a word do we see about him.

In his five stanzas on "Predestination," "Mr. Pole and the Dresmaker," he has, it seems to me, outdone himself, stated in whose case, as every one I meet modestly stands B, with a wit and humor that ought to make it a classic.

I've framed it, and with a host of others would like to know more about the author. Who wants to give Mr. Montague a banquet?

C. O. NORCROSS.

No. 95 Milk street.

Aren't You Sorry?

By F. OPPER

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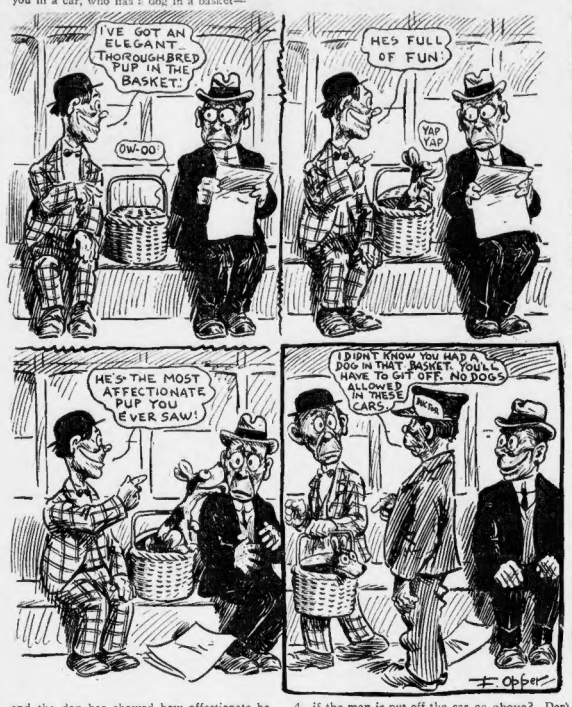
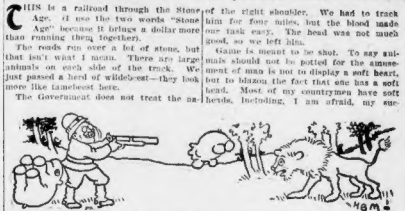

1—After you have been prevented from reading your paper by the conversation of a man next you in a car, who has a dog in a basket—
I'VE GOT AN ELEGANT THOROUGHBRED PUP IN THE BASKET.
OW-OO
2—and the dog has barked at you and the man has kept on talking—
HE'S FULL OF FUN.
YAP YAP
3—and the dog has showed how affectionate he is, and the man has talked some more—
HE'S THE MOST AFFECTIONATE PUP YOU EVER SAW!
4—if the man is put off the car as above? Don't you sympathize with the man? And don't you *miss* the dog?
I DIDN'T KNOW YOU HAD A DOG IN THAT BASKET. YOU'LL HAVE TO GIT OFF. NO DOGS ALLOWED IN THESE CARS.
MOTOR
F. Opper

African Wanderings

By AN AMERICAN HUNTER-NATURALIST

Edited by WEX JONES



THIS is a railroad through the Stone Age. (I use the two words "Stone Age" because it brings a dollar more than running them together).

The roads run over a lot of stone, but that isn't what I mean. There are large animals on each side of the track. We just passed a herd of wildebeest—they look more like tamebeest here.

The Government does not treat the natives in the proper way. I have offered to give the Governor a lesson. In America we know how to deal with subject races.

I have had to give up wearing my dear old slouch hat, which figured so well in many campaign photographs, and now wear a sun helmet, as advised by all the residents of the country. It seems funny for me to be hearing advice instead of talking it, but this is an old country.

Gave the natives lecture on race suicide to-day. There are only 8,000,000 of them in this district.

Out roughing it to-day. No ice to cool the beer this evening. We had to fire ten of our askaris.

The lion is a cowardly beast. It does not compare with the bears in our canebrakes at home. Both run away from you, but the lion runs faster.

If I were in charge of this country I should plant a number of apple trees and get the natives at work making cider. This could be exported as vinegar, and would undoubtedly command large prices.

Shot a springbok to-day. The bullet ranged from the left quarter and came out of the right shoulder. We had to track him for four miles, but the blood made our task easy. The head was not much good, so we left him.

Game is meant to be shot. To say animals should not be potted for the amusement of man is not to display a soft heart, but to blazon the fact that one has a soft head. Most of my countrymen have soft heads, including, I am afraid, my successor in office—that is, if you can call him a successor of mine.

A number of giraffe sighted to-day.

They look exactly like those in the circuses.

(This is a note for the Smithsonian. We must pay attention to science, which is an important thing, although some hunters who are not naturalists are inclined to scoff at it.)

It is astonishing how many words a man must write before making a thousand dollars.

Shot one large red-nosed monkey to-day.

What makes its nose red, when monkeys don't drink? Interesting question for the Smithsonian experts.

Staying now with an Englishman named Figgins. He has been here twenty years, but he doesn't understand the country. I have shown him where he is wrong in every opinion he has formed.

Kermit is a bad photographer. He could have got me shooting a bull hippopotamus yesterday, but only got the hippo on the film. What encouragement is there in that for me?

More next week, at one bean per utterance.

"How can a boy with only two feet make all that noise?" said the impatient father as Johnny clattered down the stairs.

"Never mind," said the mother. "Let us be thankful he isn't a centipede."

Scott—The difference between a poor man and a millionaire—

Mott—Yes, I know all about it. One worries over his next meal and the other over his last.

Rhymo Celebrates!

By GUS MAGER

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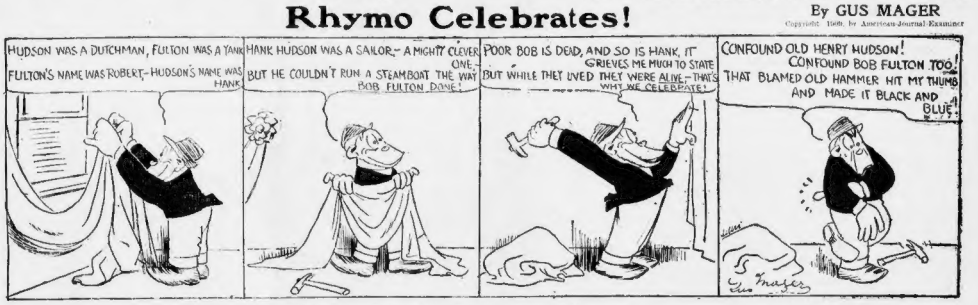
HUDSON WAS A DUTCHMAN, FULTON WAS A YANK
FULTON'S NAME WAS ROBERT—HUDSON'S NAME WAS HANK
HANK HUDSON WAS A SAILOR,—A MIGHTY CLEVER ONE,—
BUT HE COULDN'T RUN A STEAMBOAT THE WAY BOB FULTON DONE!
POOR BOB IS DEAD, AND SO IS HANK, IT GRIEVES ME MUCH TO STATE
BUT WHILE THEY LIVED THEY WERE ALIVE—THAT'S WHY WE CELEBRATE!
CONFOUND OLD HENRY HUDSON!
CONFOUND BOB FULTON TOO!
THAT BLAMED OLD HAMMER HIT MY THUMB AND MADE IT BLACK AND BLUE!

The Hall-Room Boys

By H. A. MacGILL

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SEE FERD, SEE WHAT CAME IN THE MAIL—A COMPLIMENTARY BOX FOR THE OPERA HOUSE FOR LORD PERRINSON. GOOD THING PERCY HASN'T GOT BACK YET SO WE'LL GET A CHANCE TO USE IT. WE'LL GET UP A PARTY AND ASK THE GIRLS.
NO BOYS—JUST US AND THE GIRLS. IT'S GREAT WHEN YOU HAVE A BUNCH OF PRETTY LADIES ALL TO YOURSELF AND NO FELLOWS ESPECIALLY G.WHATAWAD TO BUTT IN AND CUT YOU OUT.
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AH—MISS MILLIONBUCKS, WOULD YOU CARE TO GO TO THE OPERA TO-NIGHT. WE'VE A BOX IN THE 1ST. TIER, SO YOU'LL BE SURE TO SEE AND HEAR EVERYTHING TO THE BEST ADVANTAGE.
I'M SURE MISS ETHEL YOU'D ENJOY IT.
2
GOOD AFTERNOON MISS SPONDOOLIX - WE'RE INVITING SOME OF OUR GIRL FRIENDS TO THE OPERA TO-NIGHT. WOULD YOU CARE TO JOIN OUR PARTY?
BEST BOX IN THE HOUSE GIRLS, RIGHT NEXT TO THE VANASTORS
3
HELLO HALL-ROOM. HAVE YOU SEEN THE MILLIONBUCK GIRLS THIS AFTERNOON? I WANT TO TAKE THEM TO THE OPERA TO-NIGHT, BUT THEY WEREN'T HOME WHEN I CALLED.
HOW DO G.WHATAWAD. YES, WE HAD THE PLEASURE OF MEETING THEM AND ASKING THEM TO GO TO THE OPERA WITH US TO-NIGHT.
GUESS THAT'LL HOLD HIM FOR AWHILE.
4
GOOD EVENING LORD PERRINSON - GOOD EVENING. WHAT - WANT A BOX? WHY, DIDN'T YOU GET THE COMPLIMENTARY SEATS FOR BOX C. I SENT YOU 2 SO FIGHT IN AND TAKE THEM.
YES, I HAD TO COME TO THE CITY TO TRANSACT A LITTLE BUSINESS BUT I HAVEN'T HAD A CHANCE TO GO TO MY APARTMENTS YET.
5
HELLO HALL-ROOM. DID YOU GET MY COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS - SORRY, BUT WE GOT HERE FIRST. IF WE WEREN'T SO AWFULLY WED ASK YOU TO JOIN US
PERKY? YOU BACK?
ISN'T THIS EMBARRASSING.
H.A. MacGill
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